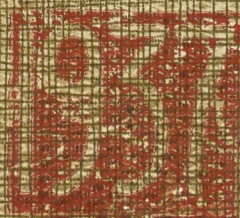


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I wish you  
much happiness  
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M. Silva

Dear Phil,  
I know you are sorry to leave  
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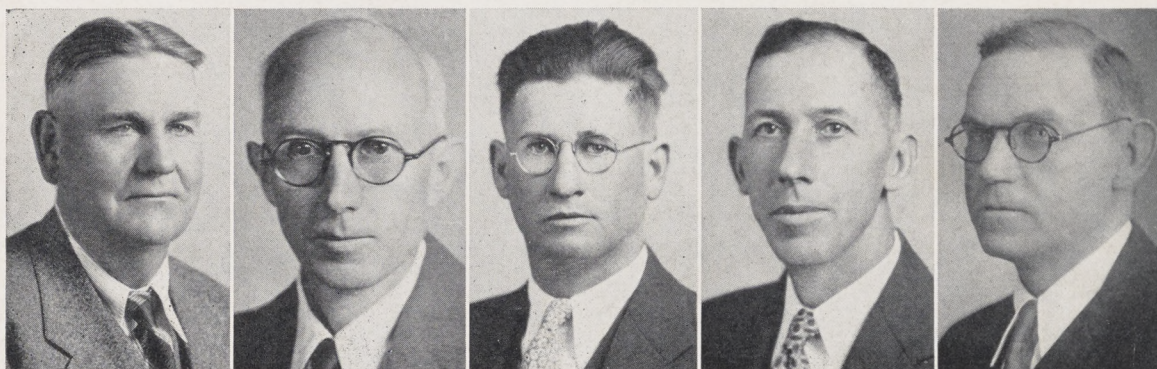
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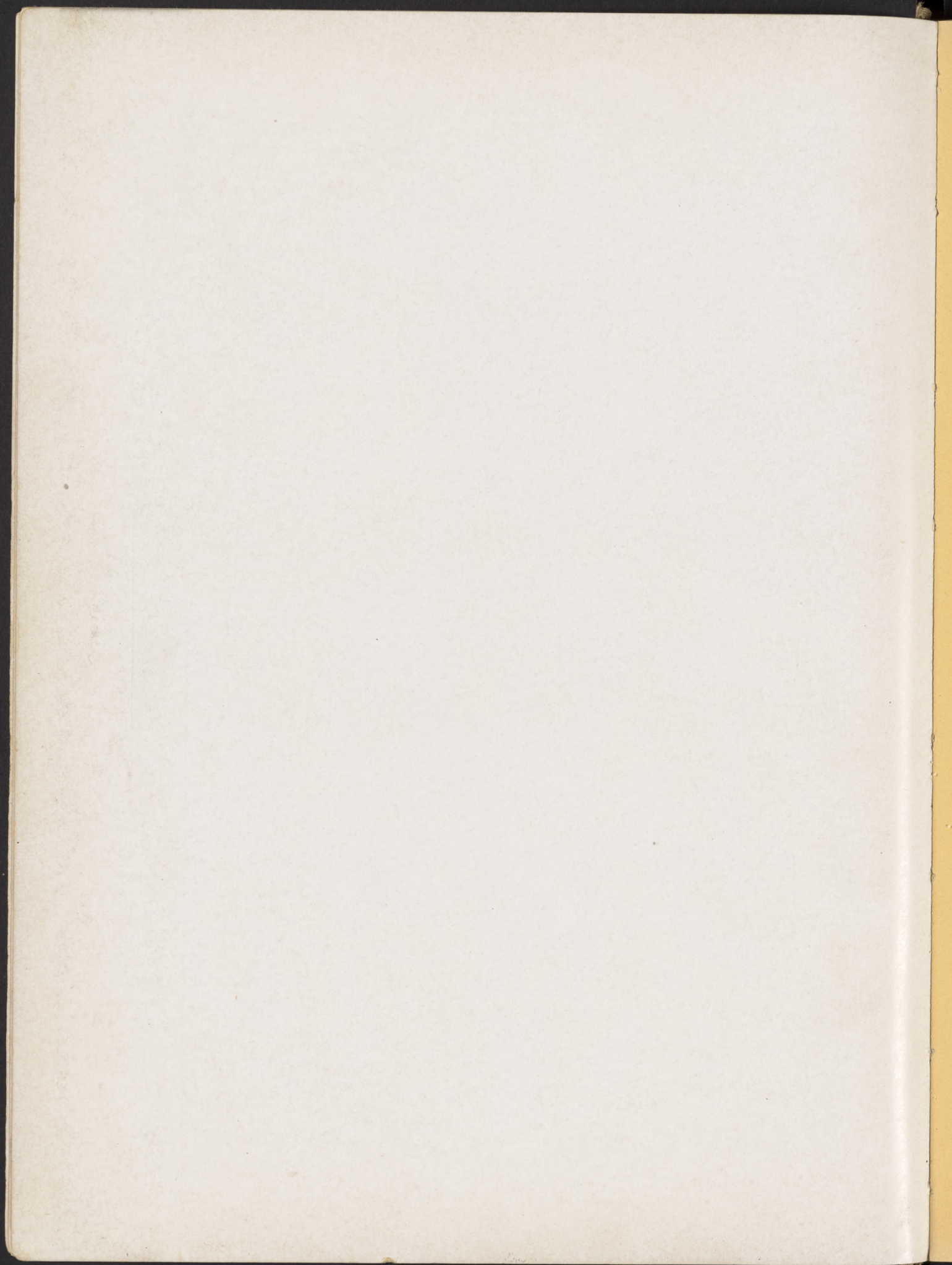
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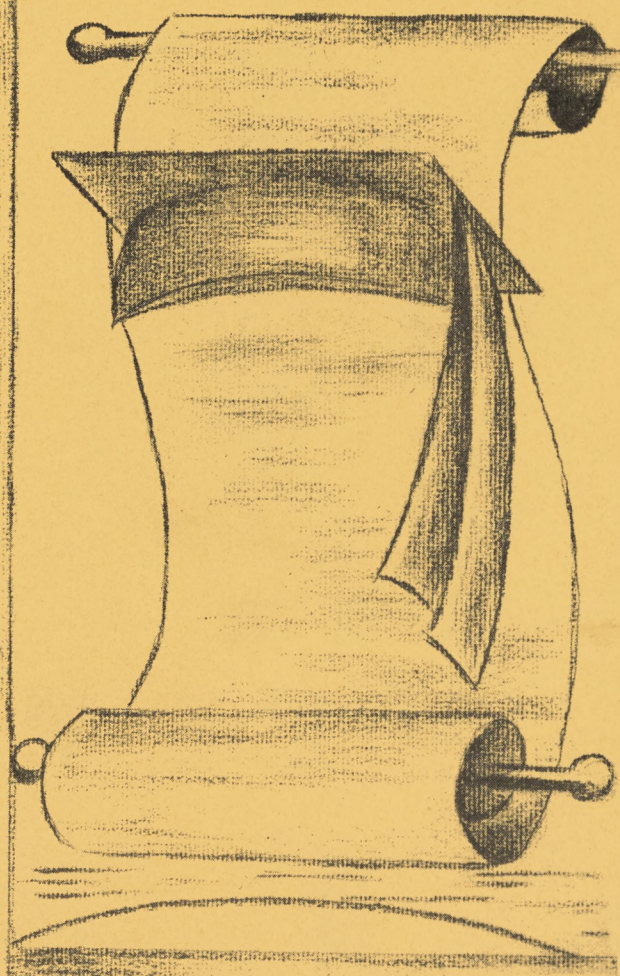
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DEDICATE THIS BOOK TO OUR BOARD OF TRUSTEES.







# ADMINISTRATION



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# BOARD OF TRUSTEES

Our school is a progressive and successful one in which many improvements have been made in the past year. The Board of Trustees has given time and thought to the many changes and we wish to express our deepest appreciation for their excellent cooperation and many contributions during the past year.



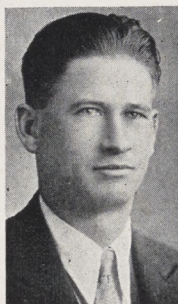
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The new Visual Education and Agricultural rooms, a new indirect lighting system, Venetian blinds in most of the front rooms, the enlargement of the machine shop and cafeteria, the purchase of a sound motion picture projector and a public address system, a truck for the Agricultural Department, a new set of traps for the band, 60 trees to be planted, and many lesser items make up the long list of improvements made in the past year.

The policy of the board shows its belief in youth and its understanding of the worth of investments in their behalf.



MR. LOGAN



MR. OLIVEIRA



MR. HARROLD





A. J. RATHBONE  
Principal

*A. J. Rathbone*



J. V. GOOLD  
Dean of Boys



E. MARIE SANDHOLDT  
Dean of Girls

*E. Marie Sandholdt*

"Success depends on good leadership!" We, of Washington Union High School, are especially favored with an excellent group of administrators. This year Miss Sandholdt has edited a handbook for the benefit of incoming Freshmen; Mr. Goold has been instrumental in the formation of our new boys' league, "Sons of Washington," and through the efforts of our principal, Mr. Rathbone, we are now enjoying the new Visual Education Room.

Truly our leaders and friends are of the best, and it is with regret that we of the Senior class say goodbye to them.

## ADMINISTRATION



*Alvin Morse*

*Edith K. Peterson*

*Sam Kibby*

*W. E. Wilson*

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*B. Webb*

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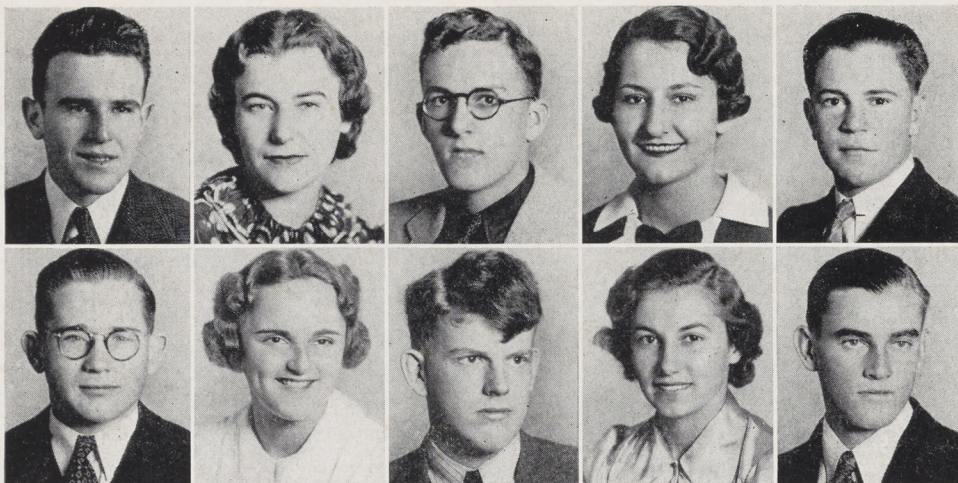
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F. FREITAS  
Girls' Athletic Mgr.

J. SINCLAIR  
Boys' Athletic Mgr.

## ASSOCIATED STUDENTS

The Associated Students can look back with pleasure and pride on the past year which has been conducted successfully by our efficient group of officers.

One hundred per cent student body membership was again the goal of the students in their drive, but this year the competition was between the boys and the girls. The race was very close, and even at the end the results were difficult to determine. The boys won by a tiny margin.

Many fine assemblies were presented this year, the Associated Students having worked as a whole to plan them. Among the best of these were a lecture on the Oregon Trail by Dr. William Paden, Superintendent of Schools of Alameda; a play, "Abraham Lincoln," presented by the Lincoln Players; a Marionette Show given by W. P. A. workers; a demonstration of liquid air; an exchange program from Hayward High; an entertainment by Howard Millholland and Eva Garcia, and a play in which Mr. Jack Rank took all the parts. There were also several "home grown" programs, such as the Senior English class play, the Girls' League Christmas program, and the class assemblies.

Altogether it was a very successful year for the Associated Students of Washington Union High School.





Back Row: G. Bonde, J. Dusterberry, Mr. Rathbone, C. West, J. Sinclair.

Middle Row: M. Ziegler, B. Matzke, K. Rathbone, F. Freitas, E. Soares, A. Cattaneo, J. Berchem.

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## STUDENT COUNCIL

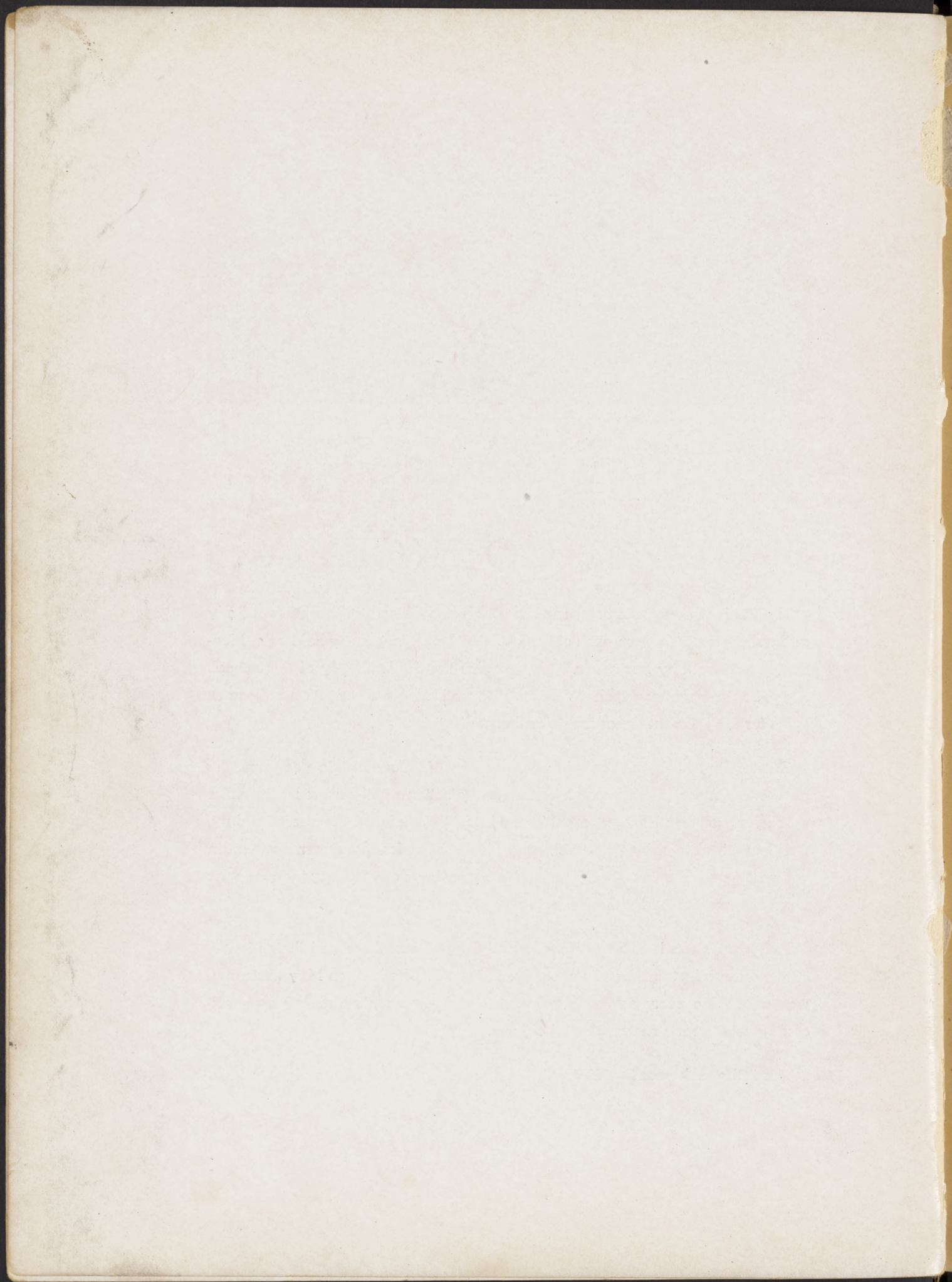
The Student Council is composed of all elected officers of the Student Body and a representative from each of the four classes. A meeting is held each Monday to transact any business which concerns the Student Body of this school. At the beginning of each school year the Council adopts a budget and allocates sums for the different departments and organizations.

Outstanding in the achievements of the Student Council this year was the assistance in the purchase of a complete projection outfit and a loudspeaker system, as well as other equipment for the benefit of students. As a regular duty, the Council takes charge of purchasing Block "W's" for those earning them in various sports. The sweaters presented to senior boys outstanding in four sports were also purchased by the Council.

Two parties are held each year for the Council members and their friends. This year, the first one was held on April fifteenth. The last, on May thirteenth, was a surprise party celebrating President Robert Solon's birthday and welcoming next year's newly elected officers.

This is the sixth year in which the Council has guided the affairs of the Student Body.



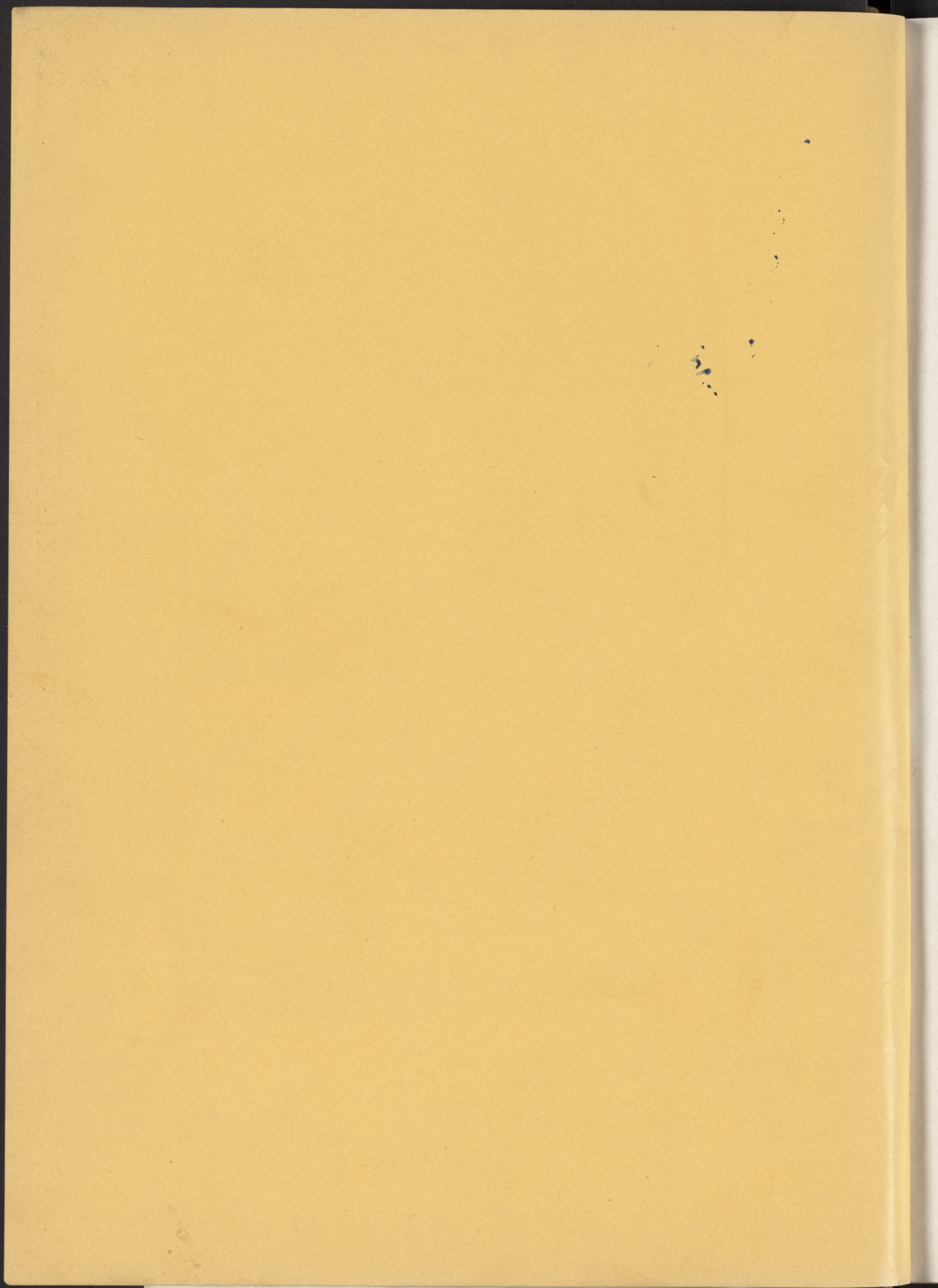






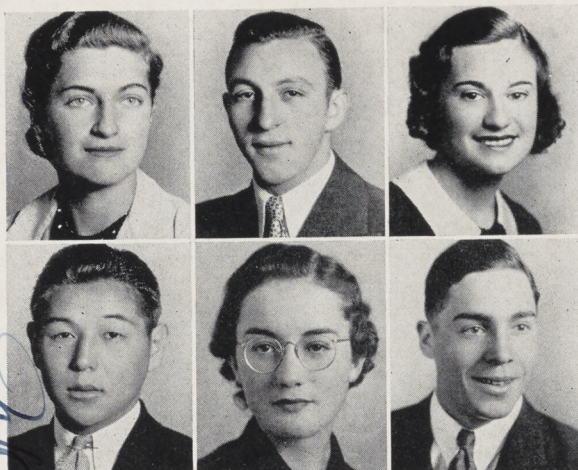
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*Keep up the good work Homecoming*



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Secretary

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Treasurer

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Student Council Rep.

M. DUARTE  
Yell Leader

## THE SENIOR CLASS

Finishing its last and most successful year at W. U. H. S., the class of '37 held its Commencement on June 3, preceded by the usual Senior Week activities; the Breakfast, the Assembly, and the Senior play, "Paddy."

At the beginning of the year the Senior Council, composed of all the elected officers, was formed to assist in determining class activities. There were three Senior Nights during the year. As is customary the date and whereabouts of Sneak Day were shrouded in secrecy.

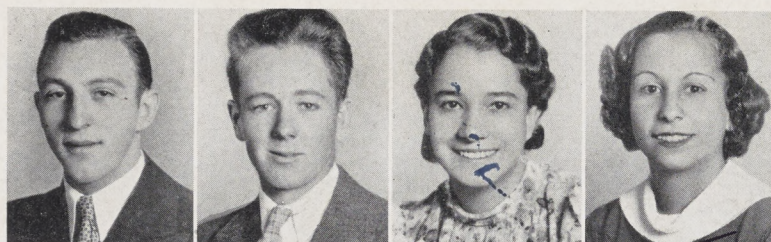
In extra-curricular activities the class was well represented, the members taking an active part in sports and dramatics, and frequently acting as officers of the various organizations.

One of the most important activities of the graduating class was the sponsoring of the annual elementary school May Day program which is held for the purpose of acquainting the eighth grade pupils with the school that they will enter in the fall.

One of the first girls in many years to hold the office of senior president was Margaret Wells, who successfully guided this large class through its final year which was terminated with the Senior Ball held June 5. The advisers were Mr. Kibby, Miss DuCoty, Miss Wilson, and Mr. Mette.

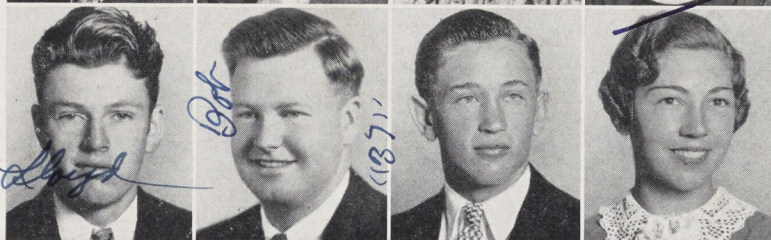


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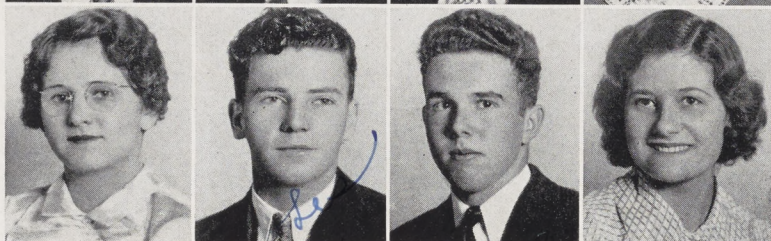


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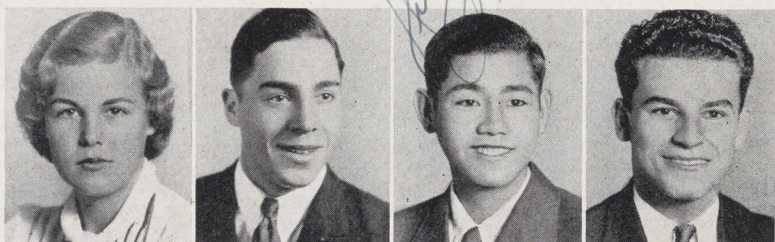


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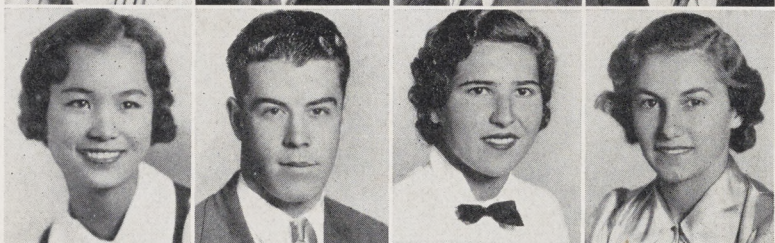


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 GEORGE HIKIDO



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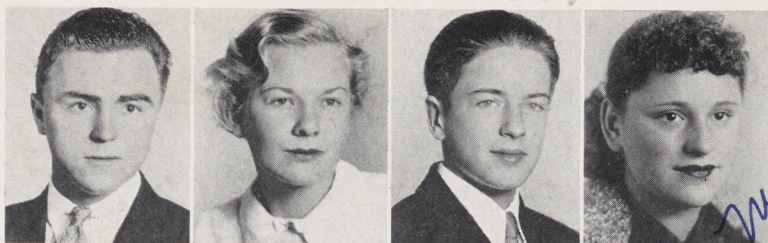
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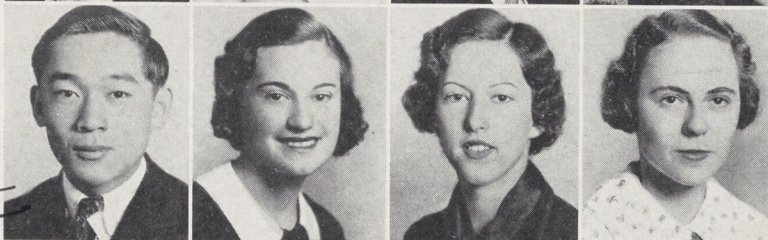
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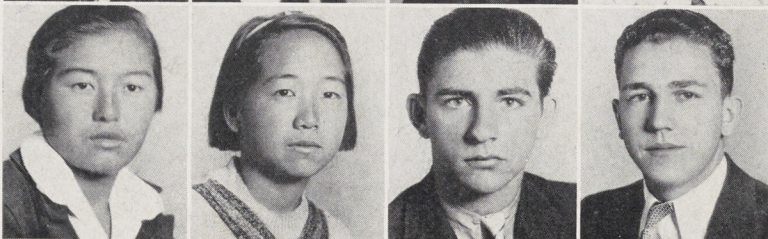
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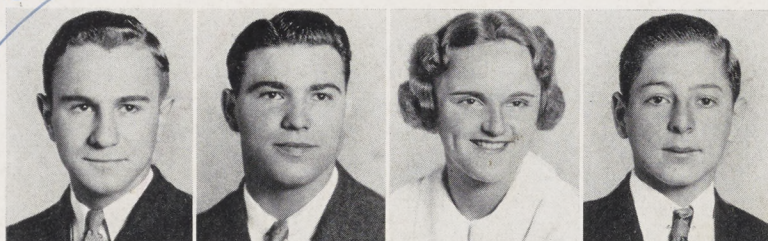


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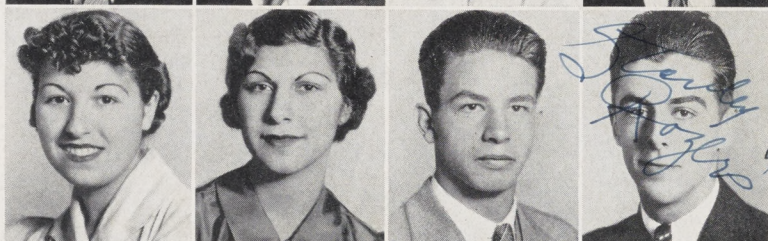


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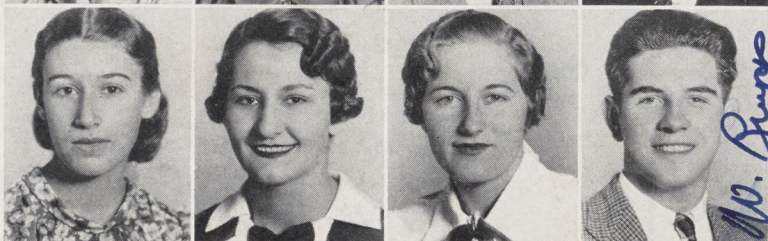
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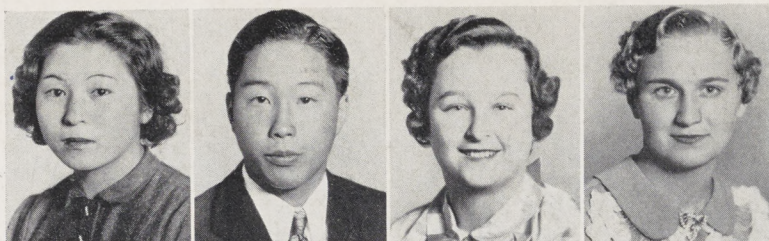


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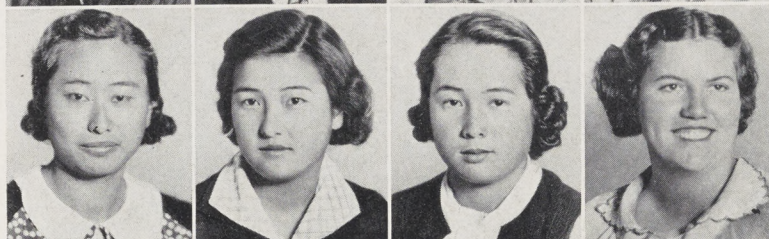




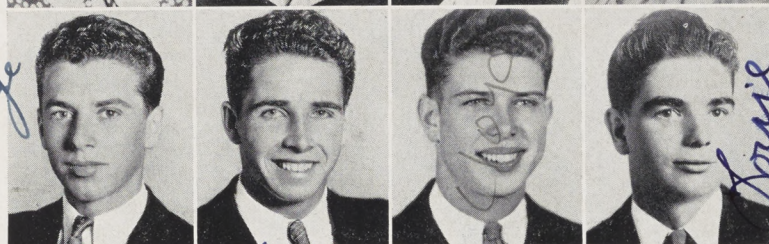
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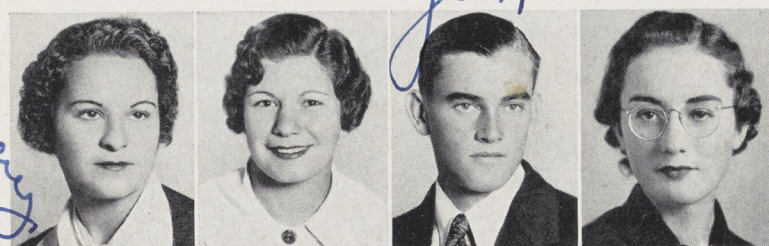


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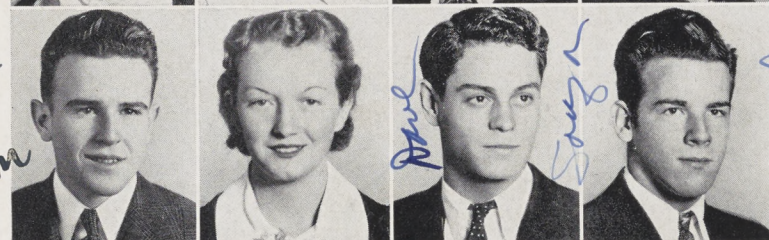


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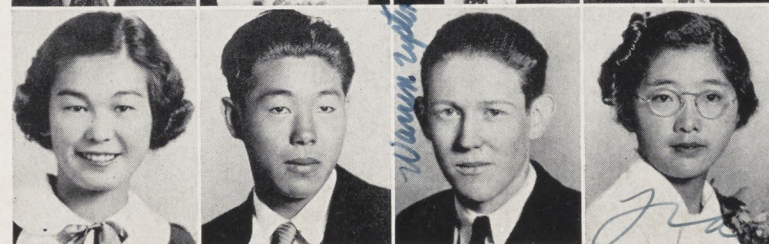
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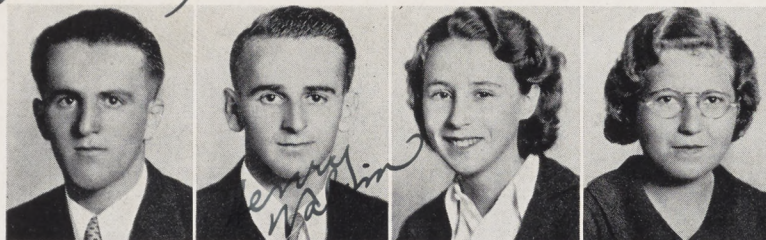
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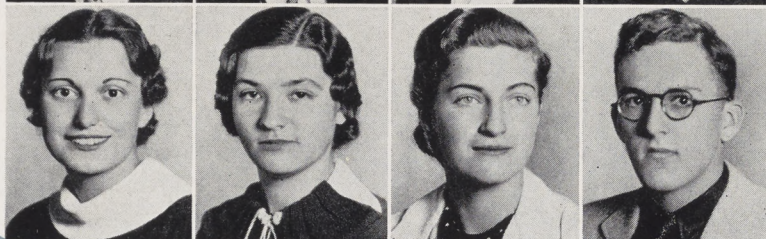
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PEARL WHITE  
IRENE WILLIAMS  
MIYOKO YAMANAKA

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ROBERT SHEDD



# SENIORS



# HAIL TO OLD WASHINGTON

Here we come with a toast and song  
To the school that we love so well.  
We love its spacious halls and grounds,  
Its mem'ries make us thrill;  
But our fondest thoughts when years have run  
Will be of teams and vict'ries won!  
Each man a loyal son! Hail to old Washington!

Chorus:

Washington Union High our hats are off to you!  
Clean, fair players, fighters through and through;  
We'll cheer for every man, we'll root for every stand  
That's made for Washington! (Yell) Rah! Rah! Rah!  
Watch our team go tearing down the field!  
Men of iron whose strength will never yield.  
Hail! Hail! Hail! Hail!  
Hail to old Washington!

*Brace  
Good Luck Next  
Year in football &  
hit them hard.  
they like it  
Cody*

*Love  
of Luck  
Story*





*Potter Becker*

# T H E J U N I O R S

The Junior Class of the past year has shown itself able in many fields. Juniors have held their own in dramatics, journalism, sports, and scholastic affairs.

Last fall the class members' dramatic ability was shown in the Student Body play, "Babs," many members of the cast being of the third year rank. In the Vodvil also a number of skits were either presented or participated in by Juniors. For their Assembly Program the Juniors chose a play, "The Trysting Place," which was presented by members of the Junior English Class.

The staff of the Hatchet, school bi-weekly news publication, included a large number of Juniors, one of whom held the position of associate editor and one of business manager.

The class was well represented in scholarship as well as in extra-curricular activities, with a number of members in the C. S. F.

They also took part successfully in athletics, the class being well represented in all sports, particularly in tennis and basketball.

One of the high spots of the year was the Junior-Senior Prom given by the





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Juniors for the Seniors on May 7. The theme of the dance was an old fashioned garden and it was beautifully carried out.

Class rings were selected by a committee appointed for that purpose, and proved to be the envy of the lower classmen.

The Junior candy and hot-dog sales at games and dramatic productions were successful and unique because of the students' enthusiastic participation. These sales kept the class coffers full and its financial status high.

The Junior Class officers were:

PRESIDENT .....	JACK PARRY
VICE-PRESIDENT .....	DOUGLAS RORABACK
SECRETARY .....	ESTHER JASON
TREASURER .....	EMI KAWAGUCHI
YELL LEADER .....	GEORGE USHIJIMA
GIRLS' LEAGUE REPRESENTATIVE .....	THELMA FREITAS AND GERTRUDE COLEY
STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE .....	JOHN BERCHEM
ADVISERS .....	MISS VAN WINKLE, MR. GRAVESTOCK, MRS. HAWLEY, MISS KNOLES, MR. THORNBURG



# T H E S O P H O M





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GIRLS' LEAGUE REPRESENTATIVE.....	JUNE STANNARD, ELLEN POWER
YELL LEADER.....	JAMES KATAOKA
ADVISERS.....	MISS BOTELHO, MR. MORSE, MISS WHITE, MR. DOUGHERTY, MR. TAYLOR, MRS. JACKSON

The second year of their membership in the Student Body of Washington Union High was started off with a bang by the Sophomores.

On the class calendar for the year, the first event of importance was the "Soph. Hop." The first dance of the year, it was entirely successful. The gymnasium, the scene of the dance, was transformed into a huge veranda with trailing vines and greenery growing over the railings. An attractive arrangement of harvest fruits on a raised dais was placed against one wall, and the band was seated opposite. Card tables and several lounge pieces in one corner completed the scene.

A task which is customarily delegated to the Sophomores, the custodianship of the school museum, was carried out in a highly satisfactory way. Art exhibits, as well as the usual scientific exhibits were included, and the neat and interesting arrangements added to the atmosphere of the school.

The dramatic talents possessed by a number of Sophomores were displayed in an assembly program on April 23, in the Student Body play, and in the Christmas Pageant.

The second year students were also well represented in the Scholarship Society, with one of their members as president, and in all types of athletics.

The successful carrying out of all of these activities leads the rest of the school to expect much of this class next year.



# T H E F R E S H

Joseph Amaral  
Josh Amaral

SPIKE



Elizabeth  
Betty  
Horton

Frances  
Hart



Roy  
Schusaka  
Julianne  
McDonald  
Elizabeth  
Lindsay  
Calvin  
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Peg  
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Yeddy  
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Vargas



# M A N C L A S S

## OFFICERS

PRESIDENT.....JOHN FERRANTE  
 VICE-PRESIDENT.....FRED WEST  
 SECRETARY.....LINDA JANE HELLWIG  
 TREASURER.....NORMAN LUNA  
 YELL LEADER.....WELDON PINE  
 STUDENT COUNCIL REPRESENTATIVE.....GEORGE BONDE  
 GIRLS' LEAGUE REPRESENTATIVE.....GLORIA DYCUS, GERTRUDE MOZZETTI  
 ADVISERS.....MISS PETERSON, MRS. MORRIS,  
 MRS. WRIGHT, MISS McWILLIAMS, MR. REES

A new and larger class of girls and boys enters this high school each August to begin a four-year period of acquiring knowledge. The members of this year's Freshman Class soon became acquainted with each other and with the school, elected their officers, and were ready for a year of work.

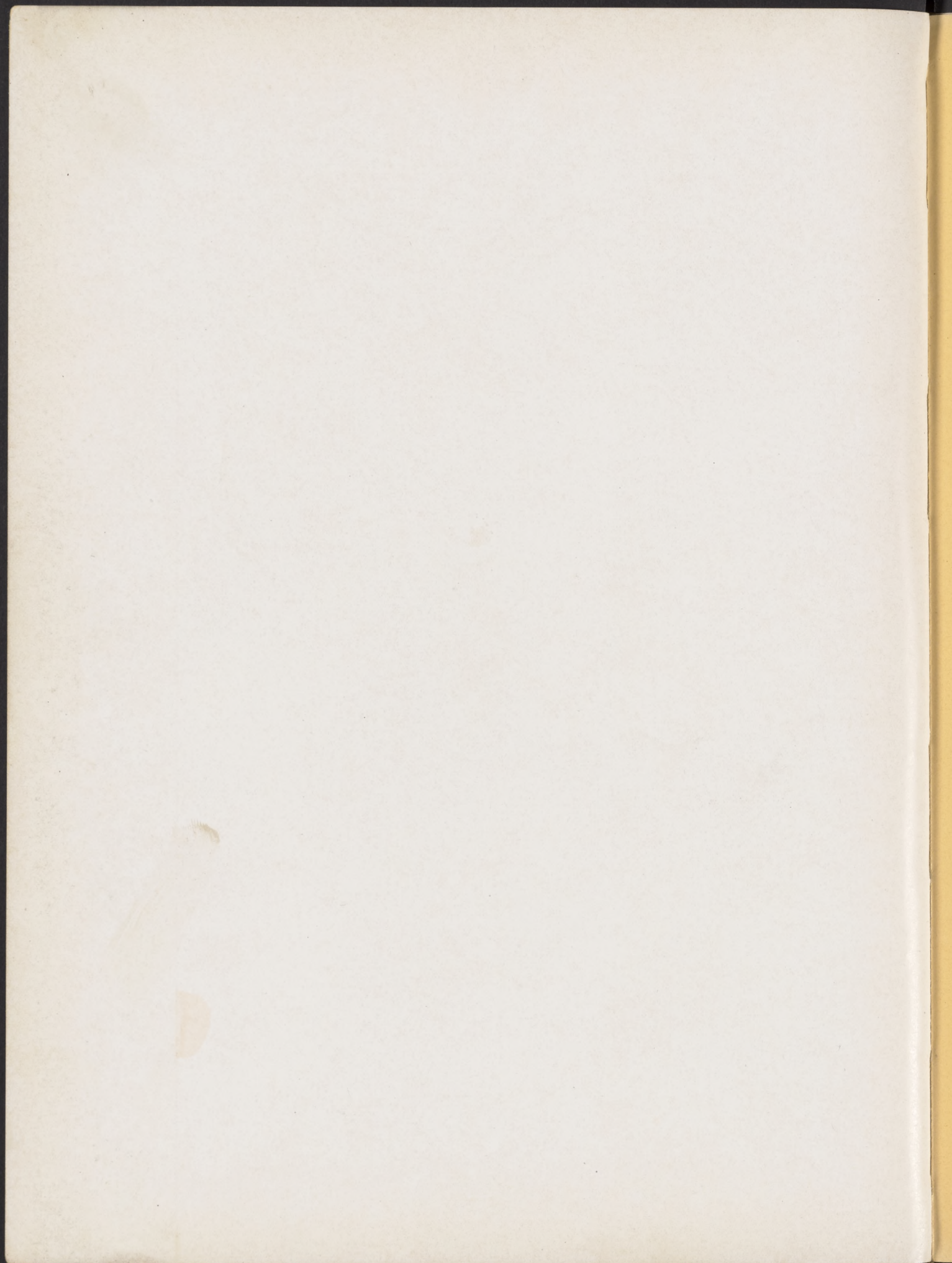
One of their first activities was the dance in honor of Miss Fisher, who left for South America to accept a fellowship in the University of Chile. Suited the occasion, the decoration committee used a steamer theme. At 11 o'clock serpentine was distributed to the dancers, and then came a shower of bright colors such as is seen when real steamers leave port.

Members of the Freshman Class were active in dramatics. Many of them participated in the Vodvil, while others took part in a play presented to the students on March 12, at an assembly.

Freshmen were prominent in athletics, scholarship, and journalism as well as in dramatics. The Hatchet Staff and the Writers' Club had freshman members.

A great deal of credit must be given to the advisers and officers, who led the group through a successful year and started it on the road to becoming a fine class.









Eva Soares  
'37

# ACTIVITIES









Top Row: M. Souza, L. Hoffman, E. Power, M. Wells, T. Freitas, R. Harrold, G. Coley, W. Bendel, M. Scamman, O. Gronley.

Seated: I. Williams, M. Rose, I. McNally, I. Moise, K. Rathbone, E. Jason, N. Tajima, M. Morse, Miss Sandholdt.

Lower Row: V. Logan, G. Mozzetti, H. De Leon, L. Peterson, G. Dycus, E. Brown, N. Campos.

## GIRLS' LEAGUE

"The Ideal Young Woman" is the goal toward which the Girls' League Organization is working, through the activities carried on among the girls of Washington.

At the beginning of each school term there is a Freshman Reception at which each new girl is given a "big sister," under whose charge she gets acquainted with the school. A program is held in the afternoon, refreshments are served, and the remaining time is spent in dancing.

This year a surprise birthday tea was given for Miss Sandholdt, their adviser, at which the girls presented her with a set of book ends to show their appreciation of her advice and guidance.

Other activities of the league were the football banquet at which the varsity and "C" teams were feted, and the annual Christmas Assembly, admission to which was a toy to be given to the Boy Scouts for distribution to children in the community.

Katherine Rathbone and Marian Zeigler were sent as delegates to the annual Girls' League Federation Convention held in Hayward.

The League officers are Katherine Rathbone, President; Isola Moise, Vice-President; Inez McNally, Secretary; Myrtle Rose, Treasurer; Namia Tajima, Yell Leader; Esther Jason, Program Chairman; Irene Williams, Ways and Means; and Margaret Morse, Hospitality.





Standing: Clifford Rogers, Tom Mitsuyoshi, John Accinelli, George West, Robert Coit, Takeo Hirabayashi, Yoshio Tomimatsu.

Seated: Margaret Wells, Isola Moise, Grayce Ura, Katherine West, Rosalie Harrold, Katherine Rathbone.

# T H E W A S H I

"Not to be prosaic, but to be different and ingenious" is a well-known phrase used throughout our four years in this school. The class of '37 has tried to carry out their self-made motto whenever possible. The annual staff was no exception to the rule, when this book was being published.

After careful deliberation, the staff was chosen from a large list of promising writers with experience in other publications of the school. The editors, Katherine West and Grayce Ura, have had no little experience in the management of school publications. Robert Coit and Clifford Rogers were just as zealous in serving as business managers.

Others chosen for their knowledge in their particular fields were Yoshio Tomimatsu and Takeo Hirabayashi as sports editors; Isola Moise, girls' sports; administration, Katherine Rathbone; activities, Tom Mitsuyoshi and John Accinelli; drama, Margaret Wells; photographs, Rosalie Harrold; jokes, George West; typist, Beatrice Brown.



Eva Soares, Hirozi Egashira, and Victoria Maciel are to be commended for their invaluable assistance with drawings, lettering, and picture layouts.

The staff feels indebted to Robert Kibby, Grayce Ura, and Tom Mitsuyoshi for their numerous candid camera shots which were used throughout the book, and to Seraphine Lemos, a sophomore, for his kindness in developing and printing films. The assistance of the business men of the township in advertising in our annual was indispensable and greatly appreciated. The technical advice, which was essential for the completion of this volume, came from Miss Van Winkle, Miss McWilliams, and Mr. Kibby. The members of the printing classes made the covers.

The theme of our book is our school and its environs around which the thoughts and activities of our high school life are centered. It has been our aim to make our book as interesting as possible through the arrangements of the pages and through the use of as many pictures of the social and academic life as possible. The staff has enjoyed working as a unit to produce a chronicle in lasting form of the aims, the ideals, and the traditions of one of the never-to-be-forgotten years of our high school life.

# N G T O N I A N







Standing: T. Hirabayashi, Y. Tomimatsu, J. Ziegler, B. Millet, A. Silva, J. Silva.  
 First Row: E. Egashira, K. West, M. Pimentel, J. Santana, M. Harrold, S. Shimizu, M. Bristow, M. Wittenmyer,  
 J. Farrington, K. Nakamura, E. Power, R. Harrold.  
 Second Row: T. McWhirter, J. Dusterberry, M. Williamson, K. Rathbone, W. Bendel, V. Logan, R. Kibby, P. Wasley,  
 G. Ura, K. Kato, M. Hamachi, Miss Knoles.  
 Lower Row: G. Mathiesen, T. Estudillo, M. Wells, M. Ziegler, C. West, L. Stuart, A. Holeman, B. Bartel.

## HATCHET *me again Charlie*

## SCHOLARSHIP SOCIETY

Top Row: R. Kibby, G. Ushijima, J. Dusterberry, Y. Tomimatsu, R. Solon, G. Mathiesen, C. West, K. Tate, T. Mitsuyoshi,  
 R. Zwissig, E. Silva.  
 Middle Row: R. Coit, J. Accinelli, M. Wells, M. Ziegler, M. Pine, A. Lagorio, E. Kawaguchi, F. May, Y. Vieux,  
 S. Shimizu, K. Kato, Miss Knoles.  
 Lower Row: M. Machida, J. Ura, G. Ura, L. Hellwig, E. Egashira, V. Logan, A. Mitta, S. Ohye, J. Wasley, M. Shimizu,  
 B. Koga, Miss Peterson. *Miss Charlie* *Tate*





# HATCHET

The high standard for a journalistic publication which the Hatchet has always held was maintained by the staff this year. Active in the leadership of the bi-weekly paper were its editor, Robert Kibby, and its advisers, Miss Knoles and Mr. Kibby.

Congratulations are due the staff, also, on its fine work, and especially does Donald Oliver deserve credit. Donald is the key man on the printing end of the Hatchet publication and he has given much of his time in order that the school paper be printed on its scheduled date.

Attendants at the annual Press Convention held April first, second, and third, were Miss Knoles, adviser, and Robert Kibby, George Mathiesen, John Dusterberry, and Donald Oliver. The delegates came back with many new ideas and ready to go to work even harder to make the Hatchet one of the finest student publications anywhere.

Credit also goes to the Business Manager, Charles West, who solicited the advertisements and to the commercial department for its assistance with the typing.

# SCHOLARSHIP SOCIETY

Its unusually active season was opened when the Scholarship Society held the first of the twice yearly initiations. One of the activities of the society was the sending of four of the members to the Regional Convention of C. S. F. which was held at Oakland Technical High School, on March 13. Linda Jane Hellwig, John Dusterberry, Marian Zeigler, and George Mathiesen, were the delegates from Washington, and George Mathiesen won second prize in an oratorical contest. The subject of George's oratory was "Scholarship for Service." At the convention, besides entertainment at the school, the delegates were taken on a trip of inspection of the Oakland Airport.

At the end of a wholly successful year the Scholarship Society wishes to extend thanks to its advisers, Miss Peterson, and Miss Knoles.





First Row: M. Shimizu, I. Valles, Miss DuCoty, E. Franco, M. Scammon.  
 Second Row: G. Rodriguez, K. West, R. Harrold, T. Shikano, H. Caldeira, M. Souza, L. Silva, P. Silva, I. Williams.  
 Lower Row: B. Borba, A. Fong, S. Sakaki, M. Morse, C. Harrold, C. Romero, E. Alvarnaz, G. Sinclair, M. Nunes, F. Freitas, I. Moise.

## GIRLS' "W" CLUB

## BOYS' "W" CLUB

First Row: Morse, Daviner, Inouye, Solon, Kitade, Solon, Gaunt, Silva, Uchiyama, Ikeda, Baba, Taylor.  
 Second Row: Brazil, Kato, Kibby, Tomimatsu, Ushijima, Silva, Silva, Nakagawara, Dinsmore, Bettencourt, Naia, Pine.  
 Third Row: Wiseman, Foster, Hirabayashi, Bimemiller, Nunes, Sinclair, Hodges, Mattos, Houck, Rupp, Luna, McKernan.  
 Fourth Row: Zwissig, Avila, Mello, Pine, Rocha, Ahm, Ahrens, Emerson, Dias, Raymond, Souza.  
 Lower Row: Fong, Soito, Berchem, McWhirter, Silva, Richardson, Hikido.





## GIRLS' "W" CLUB

The Girls' "W" Club, membership in which is gained by the possession of a block "W," carried on a very busy season. Its principal purpose, determining the athletic policies for the girls, was accomplished successfully, as was the holding of the inter-school play day, which was attended by girls from Amador, Hayward, and Livermore high schools.

Several girls from the club attended play days at two colleges, San Francisco State College and the University of California. At the former the girls took part in the games, while at the latter they witnessed exhibitions of fencing, riflery, basketball, tennis, canoeing, and archery.

An entirely successful season was finished, and credit must be given to Miss DuCoty, Adviser; Margaret Morse, President; Melva Scammon, Vice-President; Florence Freitas, Girls' Athletic Manager; Irene Williams, Secretary; Bernice Borba, Treasurer.

## BOYS' "W" CLUB

The block "W" Club of Washington High School is an athletic organization with membership privileges for any boy who has earned a block in football, basketball, baseball, or track, regardless of classification. At present there are fifty members in this organization. Prior to graduation each senior member is presented with a card which admits him to all athletic contests held on the school grounds.

This year shining satin outfits were provided for its basketball members through a benefit show held in December. Also successfully staged was the "W" Club dance which took place in November. This year intra-mural basketball was instituted in all the physical education classes which gave those who were unable to qualify for the regular teams a chance at inter-class competition.

The officers for the year were Steven Straub, President; Robert Kibby, Secretary-Treasurer; and Mr. Taylor and Mr. Morse, Advisers.



*Bill Escobar*



## FUTURE FARMERS

The Washington chapter of the Future Farmers, with a membership of 86, has made an impressive record following a program of activities and projects which was planned by the members with the help of their advisers. In addition to their study, the group enjoyed field trips to different farms and agricultural industries of the Township. Educational speeches and movies were presented often to the members on agricultural topics.

Night meetings were held monthly to carry forward the business of the chapter, with programs of boxing, wrestling, singing, dancing, and basketball games as sources of entertainment. During the year the chapters of Morgan Hill, Pleasanton, and Hayward were guests.

The Future Farmers sent five representatives to the Great Western Live Stock Show and Convention held at Los Angeles in November. This chapter was also represented at the State Fair in Sacramento and at the Future Farmer Meeting at San Luis Obispo.

When the Calf Show was held in January, ribbons were won by John Cardoza, John Ura, Daniel Lezand, Cesario Delgado, Jesus Martinez, Anthony Pine, and Arthur and George Gomes. These boys were presented with their awards at the Future Farmer assembly held in February.

Community projects for the improvement of farming methods in the Township



were continued. Variety and hybrid trials of peas were carried on at Warm Springs to find varieties which might be better producers than those planted by many farmers at present.

In the commercial plant garden at the school, plots of 34 pea varieties and 26 cover crops were planted for study. Corn trials were continued as student projects, emphasizing especially the Golden Cross strain. The P. G. & E. co-operated with a few members working with early crop tomatoes as an experiment. The classes also planted walnut trees and flowering peach trees around the campus.

The work of the Future Farmers was greatly improved by the fine new classroom, the reorganized farm shop, and the new pick-up truck for which the members are grateful to the Board of Trustees.

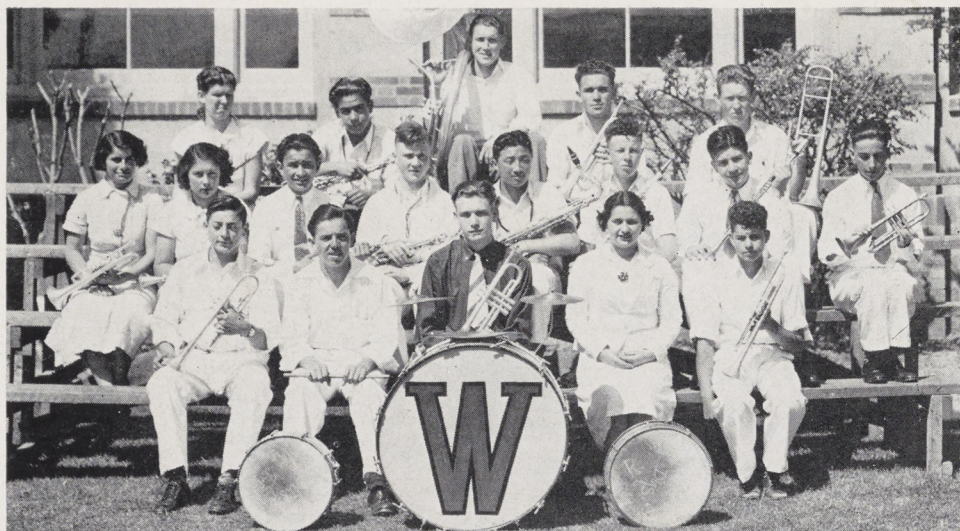
The officers for the past year were: President, Martin Duarte; Vice-President, Paul Rivers; Secretary, Melvin Luna; Treasurer, George J. Silva; Reporter, Billy Foster; Sports Manager, Joe Kato; Adviser, Mr. Dougherty.

## INKLING

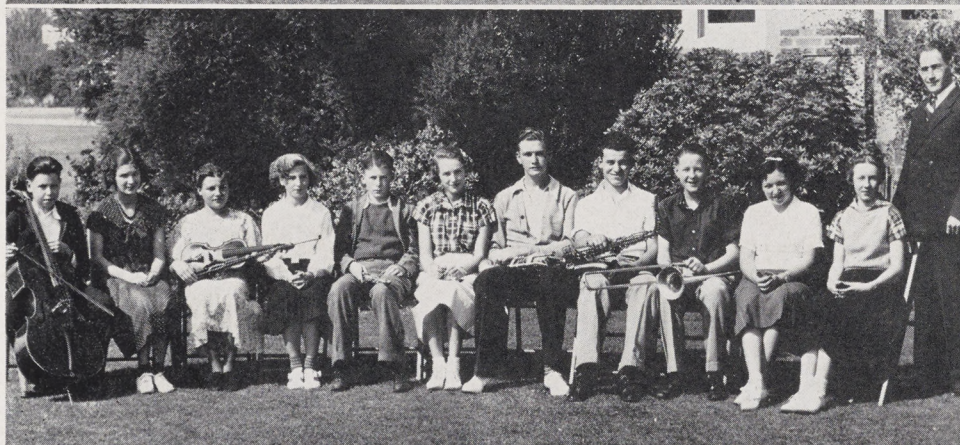
"Inkling" is the name of a literary magazine published annually by the members of the Writer's Club. Any student wishing to try his hand at creative writing, whether it be the production of short plays, short stories, poems, or descriptive composition is invited to join. There are no dues or regulations governing membership; the only qualification being the interest of the member in creative writing. This club is a continuation of the Penguin Club which was organized seven years ago by Miss Knoles for the purpose of developing latent creative writing talent. The president of the club is Grayce Ura, who is editor of the "Inkling." The editor has had varied experience in literary work, including four years on the Hatchet Staff. Claire Musick was elected associate editor, while John Dusterberry was appointed business manager. Miss Knoles is the adviser.

The sixth volume of the "Inkling" was published during the first part of May after a successful sales campaign conducted by the business manager.





*Ernest  
Beltman*



BAND

ORCHESTRA

CHORUS



# BAND AND ORCHESTRA

Under the able instruction of Mr. Thornburg, the band and orchestra passed through another active year.

During football season the band, playing lively marches, helped the rooters cheer the team to victory, and with its music put color and pep into the games. It also took an active part in enlivening assembly programs.

The orchestra, on the other hand, played for the formal events. Combined with the band, it played several classical selections between the acts of the "Christmas Pageant," as well as all of the accompaniments. It also played for the student body play, the senior play.

For graduation, the orchestra and the band again combined and offered several interesting selections.

## CHORUS

During the past year the chorus, under the direction of Mr. Thornburg, has studied many types of music, including numbers from the Italian school of music, Russian Church music, with Russian words, Negro spirituals, and Bach Chorales, as well as the familiar chorus songs.

Members of the chorus have participated in assembly programs, and they sang at the Teachers' Institute in Alameda. They also took an active part in the Christmas Pageant and in the Vodvil.

Three of the members, Marylyn Maciel, Marion Ziegler, and Winifred Bendel, attended the California Western School of Music Conference held in San Francisco during the Spring Vacation.

The chorus has improved remarkably during the past year and has become one of the major activities of the school.





## THE STUDENT BODY PLAY

BABS

"Babs," a rollicking farce, was presented on October 23 before a capacity audience. Babs, as the mischievous "little sister," returns home for a vacation as a result of a measles scare. Immediately on her arrival things begin to happen. Plans for a dinner party honoring Clinton Beresford, her sister Leila's fiance, are practically ruined.

Carter Brooks loves Babs, but to her he is just a "kid" she grew up with. Babs starts a mystery of a mythical lover, Harold Valentine, who to her dismay turns up in real life at the dinner party and demands that she really do love him. Babs is in the midst of further plots when she finally gets the measles. Beresford's attentions turn from Leila to Babs who cleverly turns them back to Leila and an elopement is the result. Babs finally realizes her own true love is Carter Brooks after all, and a happy ending for everyone is the result.

The cast was ably coached by Miss Fisher. The leads were taken by Mary Virginia Bristow as Babs, Lucille Oliveira as Leila Archibald, Robert Zwissig as Carter Brooks, and Llewellyn Gwyther as Clinton Beresford. This cast was well supported by George Mathiesen as Mr. James Archibald, June Farrington as Jane Raleigh, Edmund Burke as Eddie Perkins, John Berchem as Guy Grosvenor alias Harold Valentine, Lillian Silva as Hannah, Wesley Nunes as William, and Marion Ziegler as Mrs. Archibald.



# CHRISTMAS PAGEANT

"The Light of a Star," the Christmas Pageant presented December 16, was the second high mark in dramatics for this school year. The Christmas Pageant has become a custom of this school and in the past has been presented in the evening.

This year it was given in the afternoon instead so that the whole student body might enjoy this charming holiday spectacle. As special guests, parents and friends were invited to share in this Christmas program.

The hall was beautifully decorated with wreaths and garlands of Christmas greenery, whose spicy perfume combined with the dim religious light to lend an air of reverent serenity to the occasion.

The decorations were arranged by the Freshman Class, who brought the greens, made the wreaths and garlands, and hung them the previous day.

In a spectacular climax in the last scene, the chorus, attired in white surplices, stood on a raised platform with a gauze curtain before them, singing beautiful Christmas music while the shepherds and Wise Men came to worship at Bethlehem.

The cast, directed by Miss Botelho with the assistance of Mr. Rees and Mr. Thornburg, included the following addition to the members of the chorus:

MARY .....	MARYLYN MACIEL
JOSEPH.....	PAUL HICKEY
KING HEROD.....	GEORGE BONDE
DOSITHIUS.....	DOREMUS SCUDDER
REUBEN, THE SHEPHERD.....	RICHARD MUNGER
HIS WIFE.....	EDNA LEAL
HIS CHILDREN.....	JUNE STANNARD, VIVIAN LOGAN, HAROLD BELSHAW, VERMILDA DeLUCE
WISE MEN.....	LAWRENCE WALDT, WESLEY NUNES, WILBUR WILLIAMS
SHEPHERDS.....	JOSEPH AMARAL, ALVIN KING, BILLY MILLET
DANCERS.....	ANTOINETTE HOLEMAN, JUNE STANNARD, JANE STANHOPE





*Seraphine*

1. Gypsies
2. Dancing in  $\frac{3}{4}$  time
3. Viejitos
4. "I don't know, Maw."
5. Twin Tappers
6. Hot Dogs

7. Gay Nineties
8. Swing In Cellophane
9. Rhythm on Rollers
10. Out of the Past
11. Mustachios Made to Order

12. Spanish Dancers
13. Accordion players
14. Twinkling Ioes
15. En El Rancho Grande
16. Stars
17. "Five and One"



# VODVIL

Pennies, hot-dogs, and skaters! These and a number of other stunts were the specialties of the 1937 Vodvil.

The girls of the Pennies were dressed in blue with white cellophane coats, and wore bell-boy hats. Contrasting with the transparent capes, the girls held orchid cellophane umbrellas.

The Waltz consisted of a chorus of girls dancing to beautiful waltzes, and light-footed Josephine Foehr dancing in her charming way. Closing the act, Lorraine Peterson and Paul Manley sang "Waltzing in a Dream."

Time Marches Backward. Turning the clock backward, we come to the "Gay Nineties." This stunt was a revival of the old "gay tunes,"—"Take Me Out to the Ball Game" and "A Bicycle Built for Two."

For skill and breath taking moments in the Vodvil, we had a specialty—Skaters. Various tricks were done on roller skates, and the audience held its breath when David Sousa tried to compete with the other skaters.

In every Vodvil, we must have comedy, and this year it was more than provided in the Hot-Dog act, with John Berchem, Tom Estudillo, and "Georgie," Tom's favorite pet.

The second act was a scene in a Gypsy Camp. Gypsies in bright colored costumes, earrings, and sashes made a colorful scene when the curtain opened, with Marylyn Maciel and Claire Musick singing the lead in "Play Gypsies, Dance Gypsies." A fast tempo gypsy dance followed; then the ever popular "La Cucaracha" used for a dance, followed in quick order by "Los Viejitos," another Mexican dance. Vera Duarte was featured with her guitar singing "Rancho Grande." To further add to this gay atmosphere Antoinette Holeman gave a Spanish dance.

The Accordion Quintet composed of John Accinelli, Florence Martinelli, Gertrude Mozetti, Bruno Orsetti, and Evelyn Brown received much applause.

To finish the second act the Chain Gang, a group of football boys in assorted sizes and dressed as convicts presented a comical routine. Spike Sampson, the



little strong man, who can lift a ton weight with two hands, fell asleep to dream of a lovely dancing girl, June Stannard, who came along and danced in his dream.

The "Tap Team," consisting of Florence May and Clarice Niemeth, the "Musical Album Stunt," the Piano duet, the Pantomime, the "Blackouts," and the Stars were also very well received. A Finale dedicated to John Accinelli, senior accordionist, closed one of the most successful Vodvils ever presented.

## ASSEMBLIES

Dramatic Assemblies using school talent have been a new feature at Washington High this year. Because of the success of the few such plays that have been presented in past years, the Student Council decided to have more of them. The programs, which were presented by the various classes and the departments of the school, enjoyed much popularity. A list of them follows:

ART DEPARTMENT—ACTIVITIES OF DEPARTMENT.....	OCTOBER 22, 1936
FRESHMAN SOCIAL STUDIES—"FOR LIBERTY'S SAKE".....	NOVEMBER 13, 1936
SENIOR SOCIAL STUDIES—"CLASSROOM SCENE".....	NOVEMBER 20, 1936
JUNIOR SOCIAL STUDIES—GOLDEN STATE.....	SEPTEMBER 11, 1936
GIRLS' LEAGUE—"CHRISTMAS PROGRAM".....	DECEMBER 18, 1936
COMMERCIAL DEPARTMENT—"ON THE DOTTED LINE," "APPLYING FOR A JOB," "THE PERFECT SECRETARY".....	JANUARY 22, 1937
AGRICULTURE DEPT.—FUTURE FARMER ASSEMBLY.....	FEBRUARY 19, 1937
ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—"NERVES".....	FEBRUARY 26, 1937
FRESHMAN CLASS—"THE RING AND THE BOOK".....	MARCH 12, 1937
JUNIOR CLASS—"THE TRYSTING PLACE".....	APRIL 2, 1937
MUSIC DEPARTMENT—MUSICAL PROGRAM.....	APRIL 9, 1937
SOPHOMORE CLASS—"THE LIFE AND ROMANCE OF ROBERT LIVERMORE" .....	APRIL 23, 1937
HOMEMAKING DEPARTMENT—FASHION SHOW AND TEA.....	MAY 14, 1937



# SENIOR PLAY

## PADDY

Comedy, pathos, and romance were portrayed in "Paddy," well known play, presented by the Senior Class on May 20 and 21.

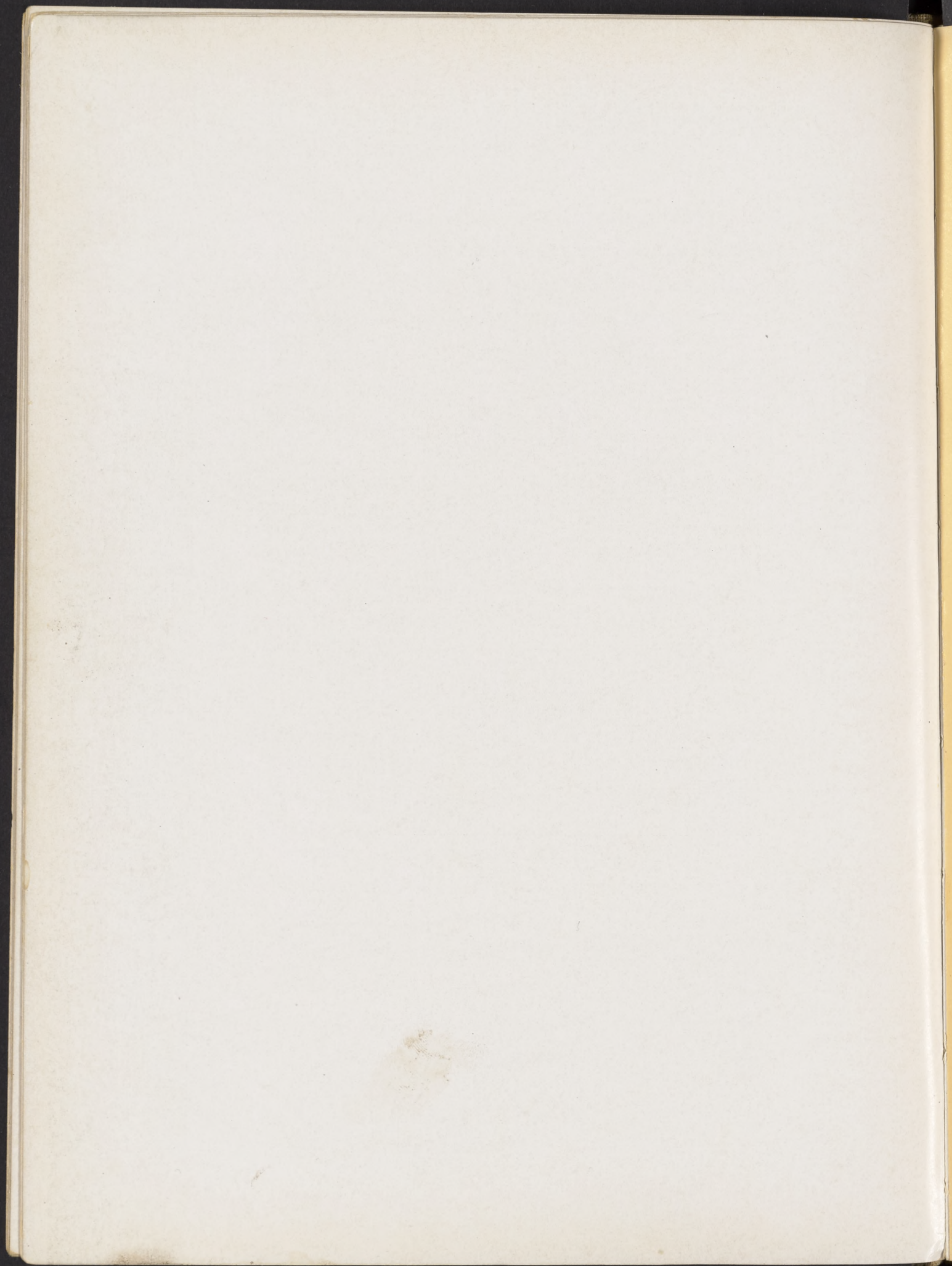
The cast was composed of the following:

GENERAL ADAIR.....	JACK BIMEMILLER
DOCTOR DAVY ADAIR (BROTHER).....	DONALD AHRENS
EILEEN.....	MARGARET WELLS
PADDY.....	KATHERINE RATHBONE
JACK O'HARA.....	ROBERT SOLON
MISS O'HARA.....	MARYLYN MACIEL
MISS MARY O'HARA.....	ISOLA MOISE
LAURENCE BLAKE.....	ROBERT SHEDD
DORREN BLAKE (SISTER).....	MELVA SCAMMAN
GWENDOLINE CAREW.....	LILLIAN HOFFMAN
LORD SELLABY.....	JOHN ACCINELLI
MICKEY (SERVANT).....	ROBERT COIT
WEBB (MAID TO DR.).....	MELVA SCAMMAN
MRS. BINGLE.....	MARY SOUZA
MRS. PUTTER.....	VICTORIA MACIEL
PORTER.....	CLIFFORD ROGERS

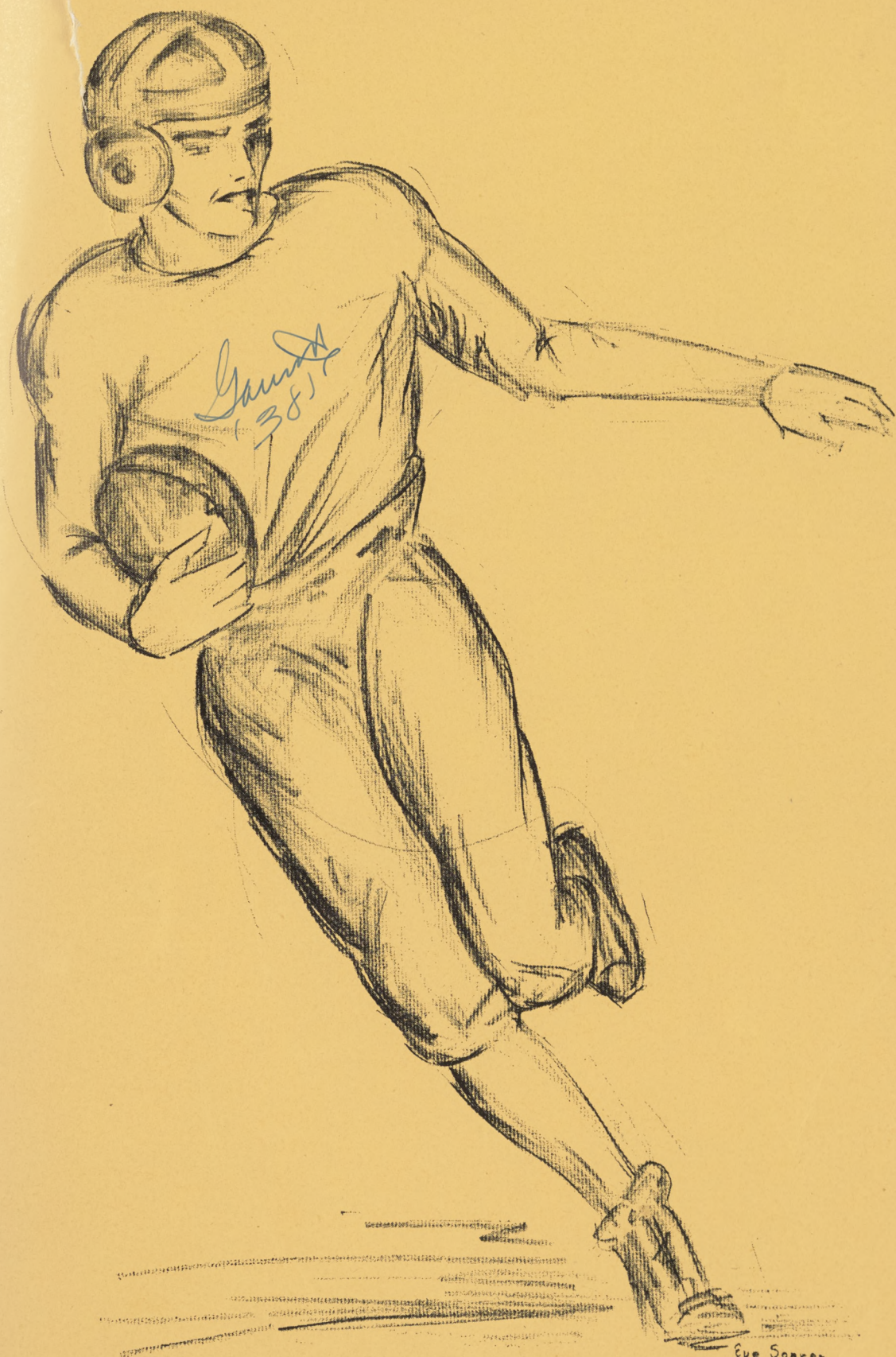
## TECHNICAL STAFF

STUDENT DIRECTOR.....	GRAYCE URA
STAGE MANAGER.....	CLIFFORD ROGERS
LIGHTS.....	GEORGE MATHIESEN
PROPERTY.....	KATHERINE WEST AND VERNON LEAL
DIRECTOR .....	MISS PETERSON





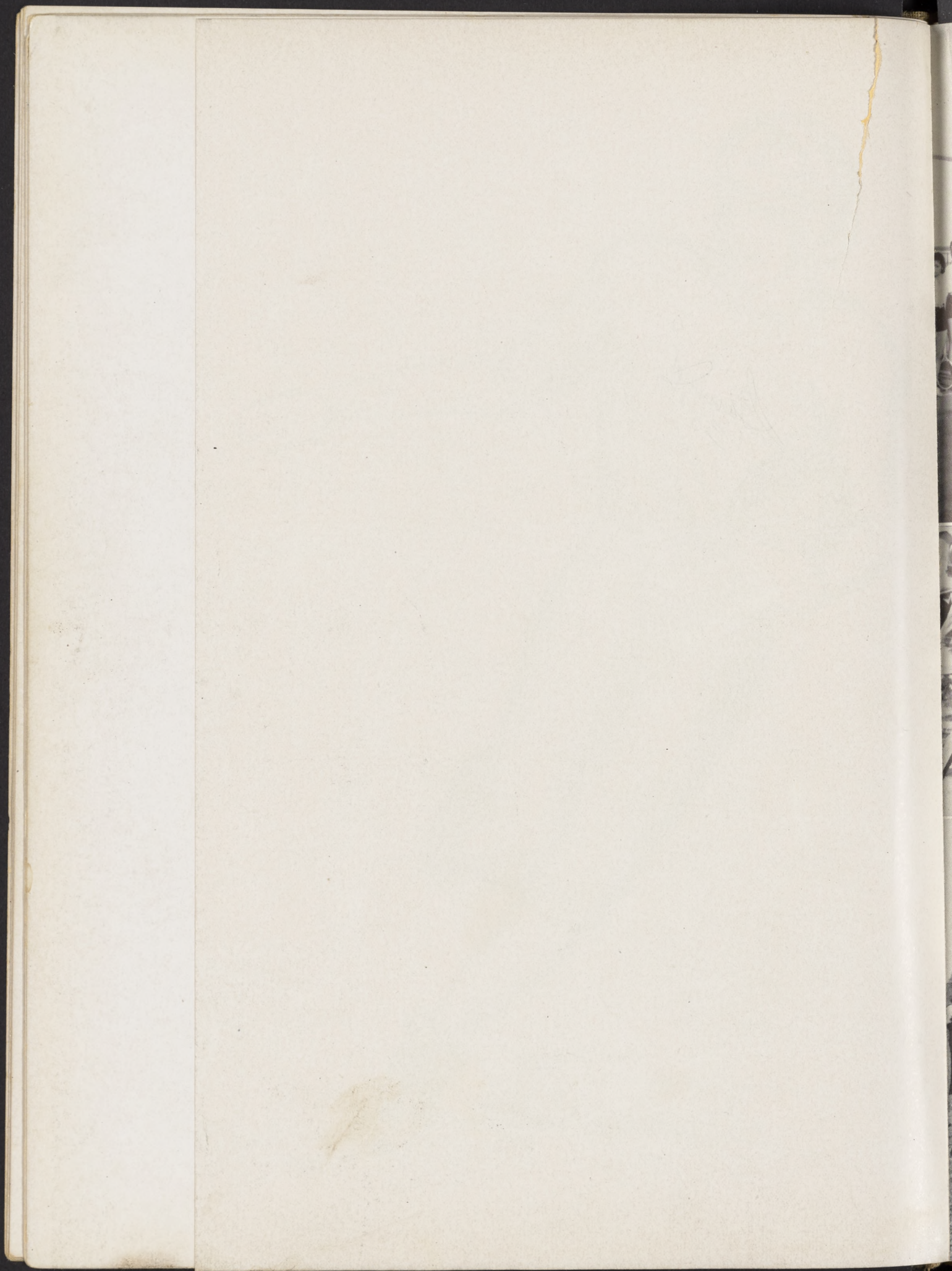




Eve Soares  
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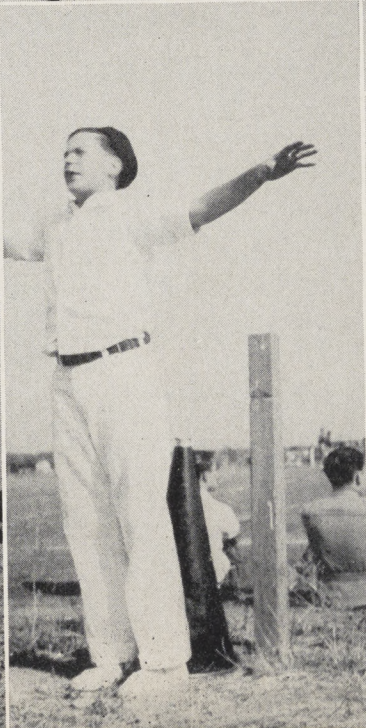
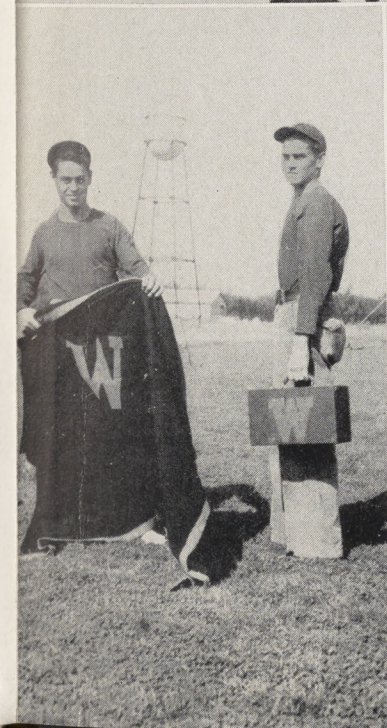
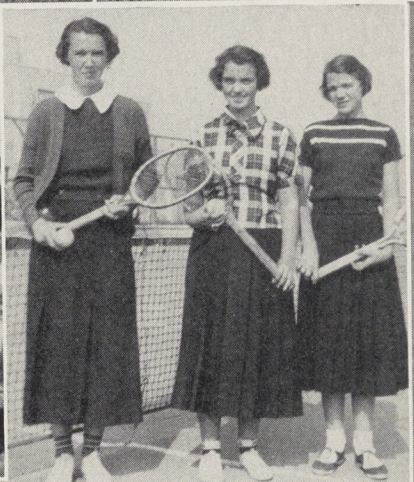
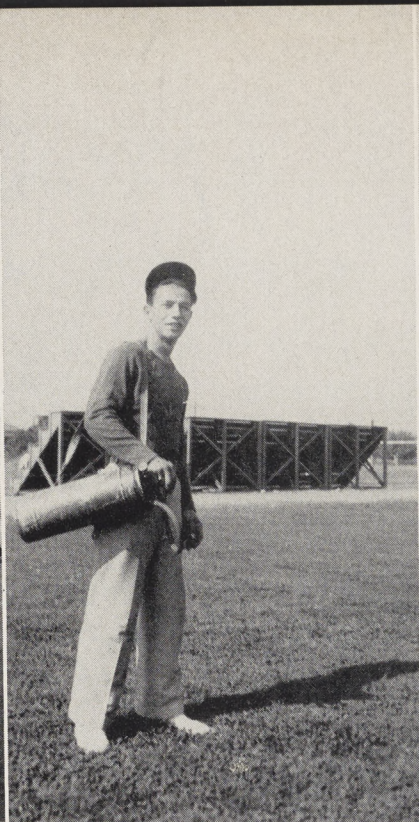
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# SPORTS

## COACHES' PAGE

Seniors: You are about to leave Washington to take up your duties and responsibilities elsewhere. While you were here we gave you as many opportunities as possible to participate in the games of your choice. We felt that these sports, when tackled intelligently and run on the right lines, had splendid effects. They toughened you so you didn't mind the little bumps and bruises. They developed many qualities in you such as courage, control of your temper and ability to come through in a pinch. We have tried to teach you sportsmanship, good fellowship, and fair play. These lessons we feel sure have brought you results in athletics. Now we trust you will find that they bring results in the game of life as well. Good Luck!—Alvin Morse.

This is a pep talk, Seniors. Life can be well compared to the game of football. Sometimes you ride the crest of a wave, sometimes you are deep in a trough.

Get in there and play the game. Give and take, practice diligently and remember that no one man ever conquered the world, it is team play that counts.

Remember, too, the saying "In the final judgment it isn't whether you win or lose, but how you play the game." So long, seniors, good luck!—Judson Taylor.

Girls of '37, you are going onward to greater undertakings—making a place for yourselves as worthwhile members of society, just as you have as members of Washington Union High School. You are graduating, yet you are not leaving completely, for we will have the high standards you have set for us, and we cherish these treasures.



MISS DU COTY

Our wish for you is that you carry with you the fine spirit of sportsmanship and cooperative living you have shown us—that you play fair, clean, and hard in life as you have done in your school sports.

Congratulations to you, Girls,—may your future hold much that is rich and fine.—Maxine Du Coty.

*Alvin Morse*



MR. MORSE  
MR. TAYLOR

*Good luck  
next year  
Bray.  
Jnd. Taylor*





Newell Rocha

Bertram McKernan

Donald Costa

Takeo Hirabayashi

Robert Solon

Norman Ahm

Robert Hodges

George Hikido

Julius Pine

Jack Bimemiller

Melvyn Luna

## Varsity Football

The 1936 Washington Union High School gridiron team proved to be an aggregation of hard, clean fighters. Although composed chiefly of young and inexperienced material, the Cornhuskers overcame this handicap by displaying indomitable spirit. Throughout the season they exhibited great potentialities and ended their football activities with three victories and five defeats.

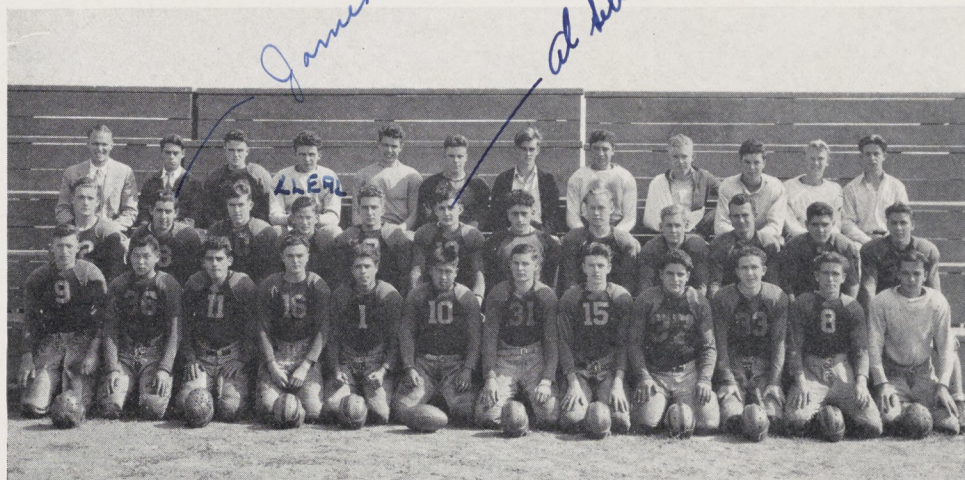
Lasting credit is due to our new Coach, Judson Taylor. Although he commenced his coaching duties the week of the first game, and was handicapped with untried material, he proved to be a very energetic and inspiring tutor. He infused in the players a desire to play the game with a fighting spirit, facing strong opposition without discouragement. Above all he stressed the value of team work, fair play and clean sportsmanship.

To Captain Lawrence Houck also goes praise for his work, both as a leader and as an excellent backfield player. Another outstanding player was Melvyn Luna, a fine flankman who consistently played an aggressive and clever game. Both are Seniors and will be missed next year.

Others who merit high honors and will also be lost through graduation are:

*"Braz"*  
*We sure had*  
*lots of fun*  
*in football*  
*season. I*  
*you make*  
*block in*  
*effort*





First Row: Mr. Taylor, D. Souza, R. Solon, L. Leal, L. Silva, T. Duarte, J. Sinclair, P. Pagan, R. Munger, C. Martin, H. Wiseman, C. Rogers.

Second Row: L. Waldt, J. Silva, R. Hodges, J. Bimemiller, V. Leal, A. Silva, N. Rocha, N. Ahm, S. Gaunt, L. George, P. Rivers, M. Luna.

Lower Row: C. Solon, T. Hirabayashi, F. Mellow, B. McKernan, D. Costa, G. Hikido, E. Gaunt, L. Amaral, J. Pine, D. Oliver, P. Manley, A. Maciel.

Jack Bimemiller, guard; George Hikido, guard; Takeo Hirabayashi, halfback; Robert Hodges, tackle; Bert McKernan, quarterback; Robert Solon, end; and Stephen Straub, guard. Forming the backbone of the team, they will be greatly missed, and leave the Coach with several places to fill on next season's team.

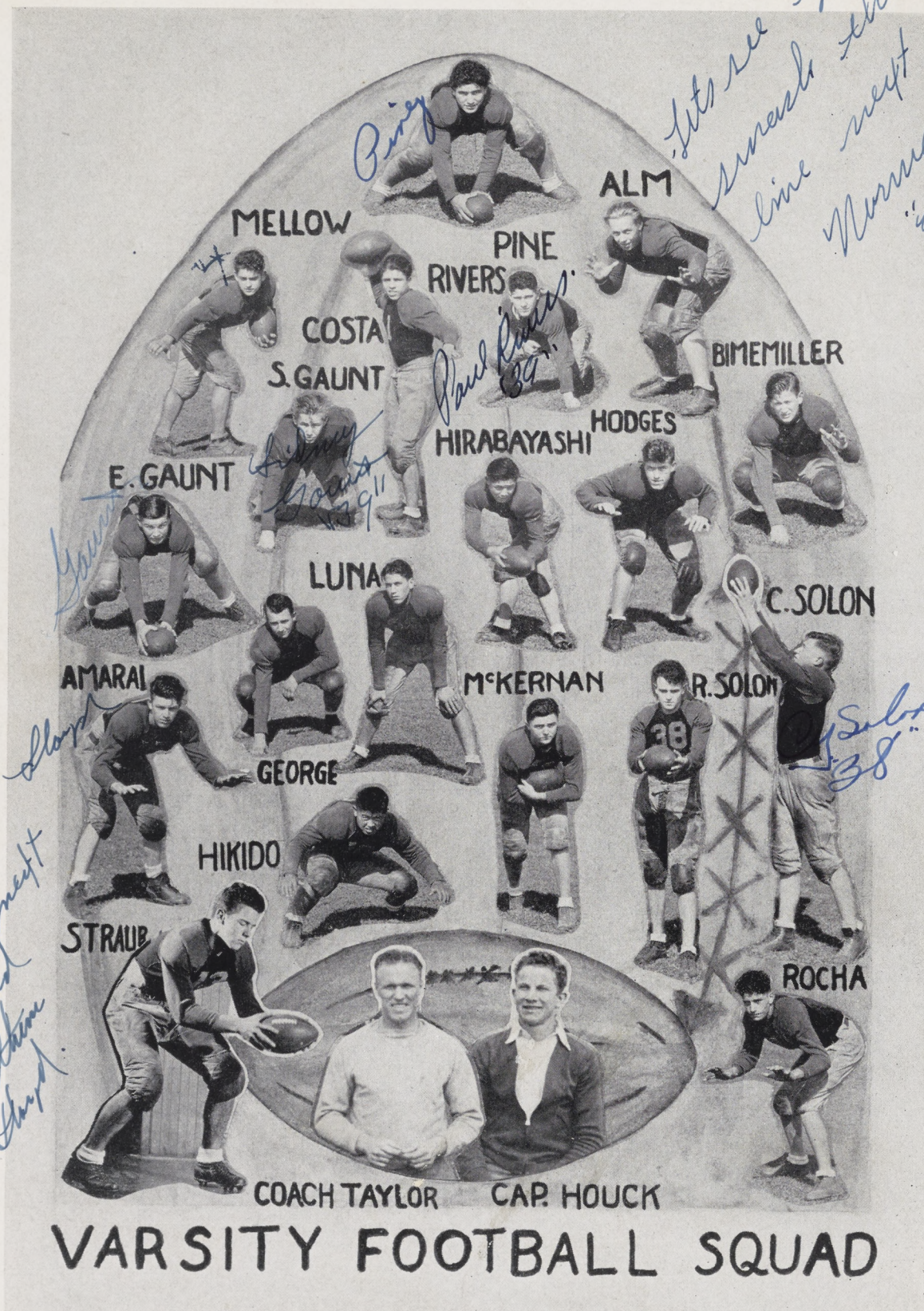
However, with experienced men such as Donald Costa, Paul Rivers, Norman Ahm, Julius Pine, Cyrus Solon, Leonard George, Elwin Gaunt, and Frank Mellow returning, plus new players that we may expect to find next year, Washington High should turn out a good team next fall.

The Varsity schedule was as follows:

SEPTEMBER 18	HOLLISTER .....	19	WASHINGTON....	0	HERE
SEPTEMBER 25	MT. VIEW .....	9	WASHINGTON....	6	HERE
OCTOBER 2	SANTA CLARA .....	7	WASHINGTON....	17	THERE
OCTOBER 9	*PLEASANTON .....	19	WASHINGTON....	0	THERE
OCTOBER 16	*LIVERMORE .....	6	WASHINGTON....	0	THERE
OCTOBER 23	*EMERYVILLE .....	0	WASHINGTON....	26	HERE
OCTOBER 30	*FOOTHILL .....	0	WASHINGTON....	2	HERE
NOVEMBER 6	*ALBANY .....	13	WASHINGTON....	6	THERE

\*Indicates League Games.









First Row: S. Koga, R. Inouye, S. Daviner, J. Machado, P. Brazil, J. Fong, J. Soito.

Second Row: E. Richardson, C. Dinsmore, E. Alameda, L. Mederios, W. Pine, Y. Tomimatsu, G. Sakauye, D. Nunes.

Lower Row: J. Wallmann, J. Berchem, J. Kato, E. Luna, W. Silva, P. Valenzuela, J. Rand, Y. Kakimoto.

## CLASS "C" FOOTBALL

Showing their true caliber, the Baby Huskers again captured the S. A. C. A. L. football championship. Since the organization of Class "C" football three years ago, the W. U. H. S. "C's" team has been undefeated in league competition, and lost but twice in practice games.

This past season the "C's" added new honors, winning four out of five games, losing only to a non-league team.

To coaches Matson and Morse should go much credit for guiding the young Huskers through another successful season.

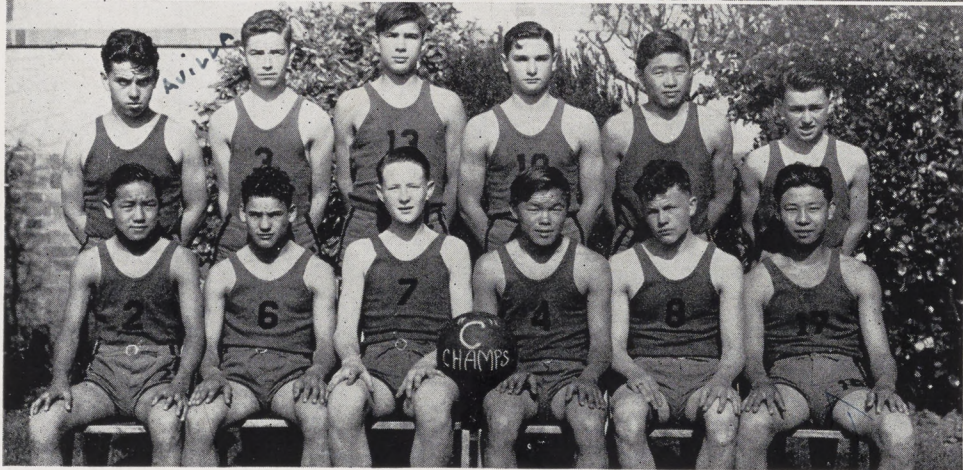
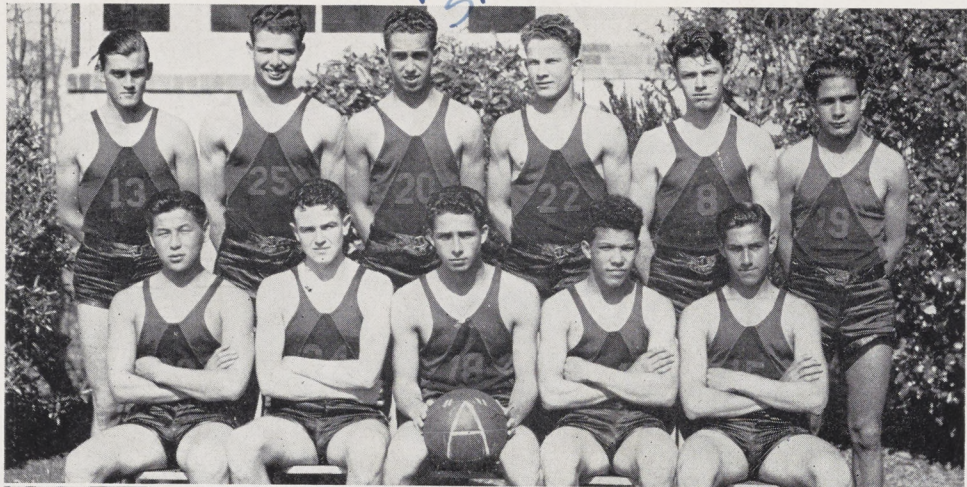
With practically all the men returning, prospects for another championship are bright.

The following are the games played:

SEPTEMBER 24	BELLARMINE .....	0	WASHINGTON .....	6
OCTOBER 15	LIVERMORE .....	0	WASHINGTON .....	19
OCTOBER 22	BELLARMINE .....	6	WASHINGTON .....	6
OCTOBER 29	MT. DIABLO .....	6	WASHINGTON .....	0
NOVEMBER 5	ALBANY .....	6	WASHINGTON .....	12



*Wanner  
Silva*



BASKETBALL

CLASS A

CLASS B

CLASS C

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# BASKETBALL

## CLASS "A"

The Washington Union High School varsity basketball team completed one of its most disastrous seasons this year. The team went through a schedule of twenty games, managing to win only two league games and one practice game. The end of league competition found the Huskers occupying the bottom of the ladder in the six school Southern Alameda County League. Despite the efforts of Coach Morse and the co-operation of the entire squad, the lack of experienced material brought about by non-competition in basketball last year was too great a handicap to overcome.

Senior members of the squad whose services will be missed next year are: K. Faria, E. Kitade, T. Hirabayashi, L. Houck, R. Mattos, W. Rupp, J. Sinclair, R. Solon, and L. Silva. However, we are looking forward to new material from the "B" Squad.

## CLASS "B"

Finishing a tie for second place with Emeryville in the Southern Alameda County League, the Washington Union High School "B" basketball team completed a fairly successful season this year. They triumphed nine times and suffered eleven defeats during the season. Seven of the "B" team's victories were league contests.

The boys started League play by winning four successive games before being defeated by Livermore. In the second round Livermore handed Washington their second straight defeat and ruined the Husker's championship hopes.

Considering the fact that most of his material were former "C" team players, Coach Taylor deserves much credit for the fine team which he put on the court to represent Washington. Only two of the starting players, Y. Tomimatsu and H. Valim, were seniors, and the remaining members will form the nucleus of next year's varsity and "B" teams for Washington.

## CLASS "C"

This year the Washington Union High School "C" basketball team fared well, finishing a highly successful season by sharing a three-way tie for the championship with teams from Livermore and Emeryville High Schools. Class "C" basketball develops Class "B" and Varsity basketball men. This year material for future teams was exceptionally fine and plentiful.



# SCORES OF LEAGUE GAMES

## CLASS "A"

Date	Opponent				Place
Jan. 8, 1937	Amador	27	Washington	15 - - -	Here
Jan. 15, 1937	Albany	35	Washington	26 - - -	There
Jan. 22, 1937	Emeryville	42	Washington	14 - - -	There
Jan. 26, 1937	Foothills	35	Washington	20 - - -	Here
Jan. 29, 1937	Livermore	21	Washington	14 - - -	Here
Feb. 5, 1937	Amador	27	Washington	14 - - -	There
Feb. 11, 1937	Albany	16	Washington	18 - - -	Here
Feb. 16, 1937	Emeryville	39	Washington	23 - - -	Here
Feb. 19, 1937	Foothills	29	Washington	12 - - -	There
Feb. 26, 1937	Livermore	18	Washington	20 - - -	There

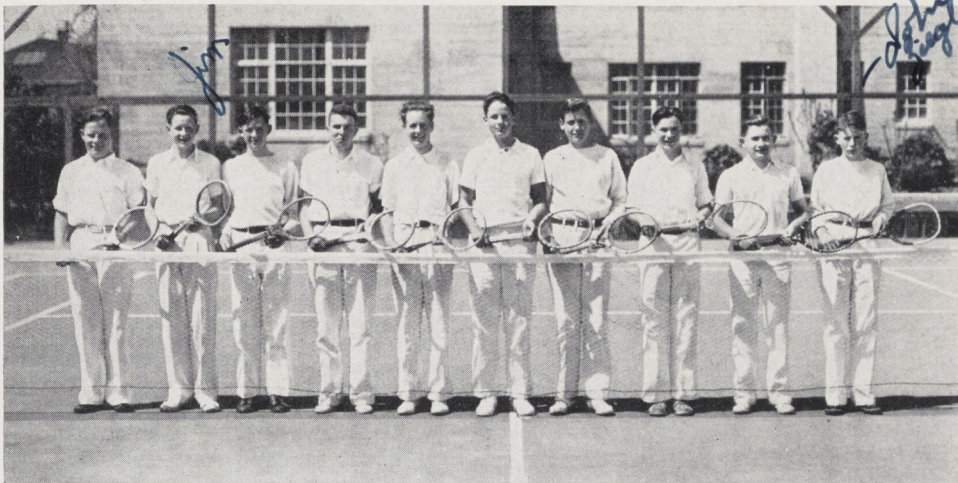
## CLASS "B"

Jan. 8, 1937	Amador	7	Washington	15 - - -	Here
Jan. 15, 1937	Albany	17	Washington	32 - - -	There
Jan. 22, 1937	Emeryville	12	Washington	21 - - -	There
Jan. 26, 1937	Foothills	12	Washington	26 - - -	Here
Jan. 29, 1937	Livermore	22	Washington	16 - - -	Here
Feb. 5, 1937	Amador	6	Washington	27 - - -	There
Feb. 11, 1937	Albany	12	Washington	16 - - -	Here
Feb. 16, 1937	Emeryville	20	Washington	19 - - -	Here
Feb. 19, 1937	Foothills	11	Washington	17 - - -	There
Feb. 26, 1937	Livermore	20	Washington	14 - - -	There

## CLASS "C"

Nov. 16, 1936	Livermore	15	Washington	20 - - -	Here
Nov. 20, 1936	California School for Deaf	9	Washington	28 - - -	There
Dec. 1, 1936	Pleasanton	14	Washington	21 - - -	There
Dec. 4, 1936	Emeryville	19	Washington	12 - - -	There
Dec. 8, 1936	Albany	18	Washington	19 - - -	Here





George Bonde, James Emerson, Lewis Havey, Robert Coit, Donald Ahrens, Tom Whipple, Keith Whipple, Robert Zwissig, Robert Kibby, John Zeigler.

## TENNIS

This year the boys' tennis team with Mr. Webb as coach entered its third year of interscholastic competition. The student manager, Donald Ahrens, arranged a schedule by which the tennis team had tournaments with many teams, including Livermore, Pleasanton, Hayward, Bellermine, Santa Clara, Albany, and Redwood City.

The first three places were held by Donald Ahrens, James Emerson, and Robert Ziegler. The doubles tennis consisted of Keith and Tom Whipple. The rest of the boys alternated in playing second doubles.

The first two competitive matches with Livermore and Pleasanton were won by the boys, and gave them a good start for other matches to be played.

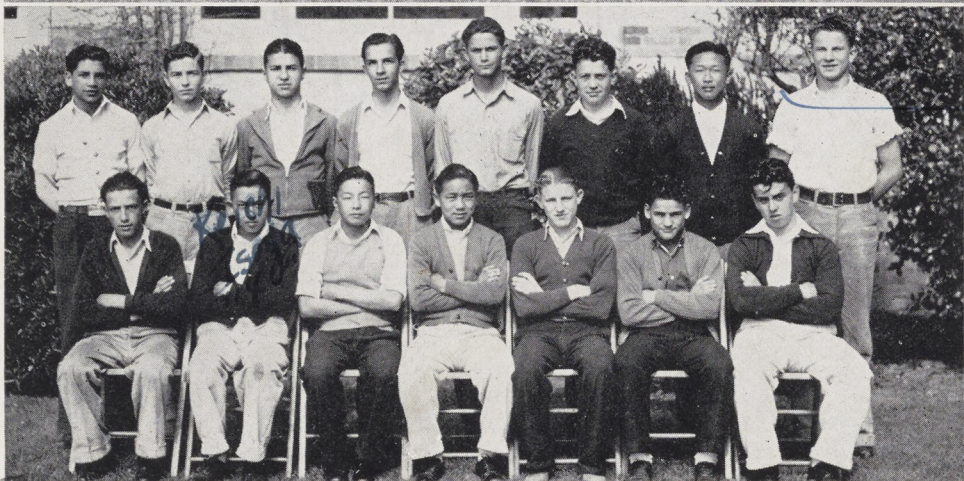
### TENNIS SCHEDULE

SANTA CLARA .....	THERE.....	APRIL	9
LIVERMORE .....	THERE.....	APRIL	15
HAYWARD .....	THERE.....	APRIL	23
SANTA CLARA .....	THERE.....	APRIL	20
REDWOOD CITY .....	HERE.....	APRIL	30
SANTA CLARA .....	THERE.....	MARCH	12
HAYWARD .....	HERE.....	MARCH	5





Chick  
Luna  
6'8"  
Oh! Boy!



"H"

Anthony  
Pine

#### FIRST TEAM

Standing: E. Richardson, S. Hikido, Y. Kakimoto, P. Pagan, L. Silva, W. Silva, L. Bettencourt, P. Brazil, L. Thompson. On Knees: J. Pine, S. Daviner, T. Pepitone, F. Mellow, E. Gaunt, P. Luna, J. Berchem, E. Luna.

#### SECOND TEAM

Standing: A. Lemos, B. Foster, E. Alameda, C. Oliveira, T. Ashton, W. Silva, K. Tate, L. Houck. Seated: A. Pine, K. Isoda, S. Oku, J. Kataoka, J. Berchem, W. Pine, A. Avilla.



# FIRST TEAM BASEBALL

Despite the fact that there was only one senior on the squad, there was a large turnout of well-seasoned veterans for varsity baseball this year. There is also a promising outlook for next year with the loss of only one player.

Late rains were the principal cause for the woe of Coach Taylor, as rain interfered with a number of practice sessions as well as pre-season games. Consequently, the team, not having reached its proper form was severely handicapped. Also interfering with the success of the unlimited squad, was the relatively small size of the pitching staff, which consisted of only two hurlers. These, however, handled their post in a very capable manner, overcoming the drawback.

Coach Taylor, in disclaiming credit for his work in guiding the varsity through a very successful season, stated that in his opinion some of his boys would rather play baseball than eat. However, Coach certainly deserves a great deal of credit for his fine work.

## SCORES OF LEAGUE GAMES

April 5	Emeryville	..... 1	Washington	..... 3
April 9	Albany	.....14	"	..... 3
April 13	Albany	.....13	"	..... 3
April 16	Livermore	.....10	"	.....12
April 28	Emeryville	.....10	"	..... 5
April 30	Livermore	..... 4	"	..... 8

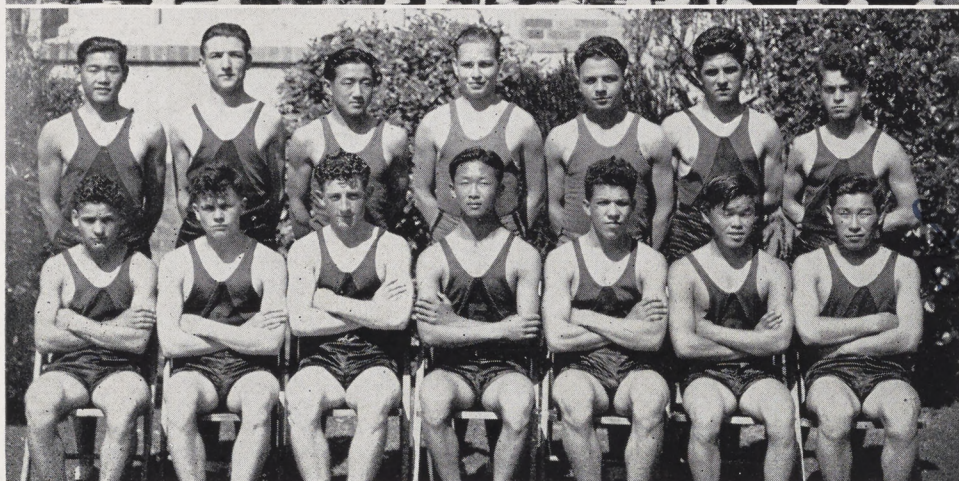
# SECOND TEAM BASEBALL

Because of the difficulty in securing a coach, the B team started its season belatedly, but the sterling playing of each member offset this handicap, and a successful season was brought to a close.

As is the custom, competition with the elementary schools of the Township formed the backbone of the B's schedule. In addition, however, negotiations were started with nearby high schools in order to obtain competition.

After a year's absence from the position, Mr. Mette again became coach of the B's. As the players form the foundation for future varsities, Mr. Mette's successful instilling of the fundamentals of baseball into the B team boys was very valuable, and many expressions of appreciation for his help came from the players.





"A"

#### CLASS "A"

Standing: J. Amaral, W. Rupp, R. Shedd, C. Damico, N. Ahm, R. Barry, L. Houck, R. Hodges. Seated: J. Sinclair, P. Luna, J. Accinelli, Y. Tomimatsu, N. Rocha, R. Woodward, P. Manley, M. Duarte.

#### CLASS "B"

Standing: H. Egashira, E. Ramsell, I. Tsuno, E. Richardson, M. Alameda, W. Rupp, D. Souza. Seated: W. Pine, T. McWhirter, T. Pepitone, K. Tate, P. Brazil, G. Ushijima, H. Uchiyama.



# TRACK

Track! The tradition of the Greeks; a perfection to strive for, yet never a goal attained: following out these age-old ideas our boys who came out for track worked hard and deserve a lot of credit. This year the team was scheduled to face such adversaries as San Leandro, Hayward, Hollister, and Gilroy.

At the S. A. C. A. L. Track Meet, an eagerly anticipated event, held at the California School for the Deaf in Berkeley on May 8, the cindermen participated in four-way competition with Livermore High School, Albany High School, and the California School for the Deaf. Although competition was stiff, Husker tracksters made a good showing, the B's placing first and the A's third.

The following boys participated in the track events: Bob Shedd, John Accinelli, Paul Manley, Dave Souza, Teddy Pepitone, Newell Rocha, Ernest Frei, Sam Uchiyama, Manuel Alameda, Donald Dias, Jack Machida, Hiroji Egashira, Yoshio Tomimatsu, James Sinclair, Joe Azevedo, and Iwao Tsuno.

In the field events, Rocha, Rogers, Frei, and Valin high jumped; Ahm, Hodges, Rupp threw the shot; Ahm, Hodges, and Frei threw the discuss; and Manley, Souza, Shedd, and Frei participated in the broad jump.

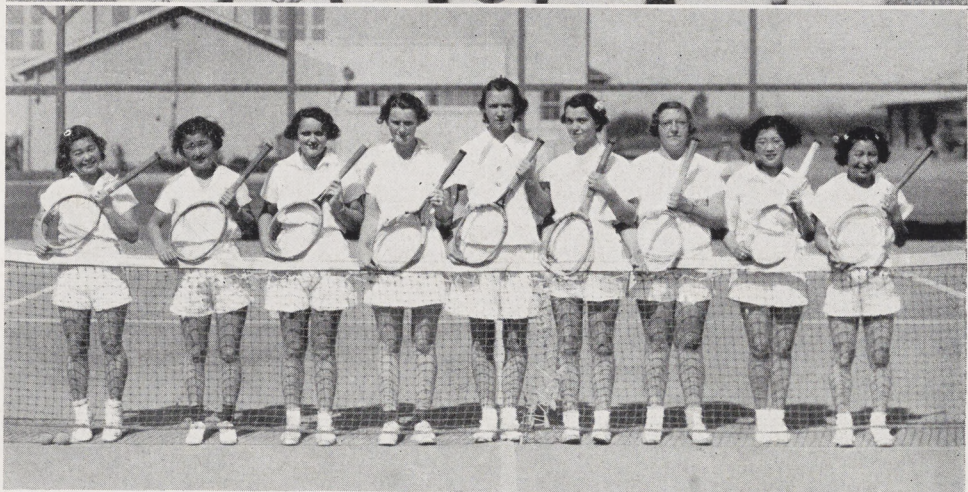
## Scores for the "A" Team

Hayward .....	69	Washington .....	39
Santa Clara .....	75	Washington .....	39
Gilroy .....	55	Washington .....	57
Albany .....	57	Washington .....	54

## Scores for the "B" Team

Hayward .....	58	Washington .....	28
Santa Clara .....	76	Washington .....	33
Gilroy .....	62	Washington .....	39
Albany .....	52½	Washington .....	58½





SPEEDBALL

TENNIS

BASKETBALL



# GIRLS' SPORTS

Girls' sports this year have occupied a more prominent place than heretofore. Varied programs of the regular intramural sports of speedball, basketball, and volleyball and the lesser sports of badminton, battledore and shuttlecock, croquet, horseshoes, and shuffleboard were carried out. Competition which was unusually stiff between rival periods, resulted in a number of close scores.

As is customary, the game parallel to football, called speedball, was played during the first quarter of the school year. Through an elimination contest the seventh period girls, led by Isola Moise, emerged victorious over Bernice Borba's second perioders by a score of 10-0.

Immediately following, the girls' basketball season was under way. In almost every game played the teams which won did so by "hairbreadth" margins of five or fewer points. The second period basketball team was out to win the championship this time at all costs. With unparalleled teamwork, perfect goaling and fine guarding, the girls played well and hard.

With the onset of better weather, volleyball was enjoyed on the tennis courts.

The unusually severe winter and much inclement weather played havoc with the girls' tennis squad. Tournaments to determine the most superior racquet wielder among girls of this school did not get under way until mid-spring. The battle for top honors culminated in a three-way tie with the Harrold sisters and Margaret Shimizu repeatedly trading places. Following closely were Olga Gronley, Grayce Ura, and Namia Tajima. A large turnout in tennis demanded three separate "ladders" of sixteen persons each to accommodate all the girls interested in this sport. Games were played within classes to determine the singles, doubles, and substitute players for the teams.

Tennis was one of the most exciting games played on the girls' Play Day, held April 24, on our grounds. Girls from high schools of Southern Alameda County played this sport with our girls.

Miss Du Coty, the girls' athletic coach, is to be remembered for her coaching and guidance, while the girls' athletic manager, Florence Freitas, deserves much credit for the success of our girls' Athletic Program.



# JOKES

English Teacher: Have you ever read, "To a Field Mouse"?

Student: No! How do you get them to listen?

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Mr. Goold: Why are you late for school, Sunol?

The Wests: We started late.

Mr. Goold: Why didn't you start early?

Wests: Because it was too late to start early.

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Teacher: There's no difficulty in the world that cannot be overcome, if you try hard enough.

Voice from the back of the room: Have you ever tried squeezing toothpaste back into the tube?

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First Future Farmer: Yes, I've seen a few bad crop years in my time, too. One year our string beans were so poor that the crop didn't even pay for the string.

Second F. F.: That's nothing. One year our corn crop was so bad that my old dad, who had a very poor appetite, ate up 14 acres of corn at a single meal.

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On the opening day of school one of the teachers in charge of a group of Freshmen who were filing their study cards, called one pupil up to the desk.

"Beg your pardon, but what is your name?"

"Name," echoed the bewildered Freshman, "don't you see my signature there on that card I just filled out?"

"Of course," answered the teacher, "that's what aroused my curiosity."

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Chemistry Student (to Druggist): Give me some of that prepared monaceticacidester of salicylic acid.

Druggist: Do you mean aspirin?

Chem. Student: That's right! I can never think of that name.

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"What are you writing?"

"A joke."

"Well, give her my regards."

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Teacher: Why didn't you comb your hair after P. E.?

Pupil: I thought I did, but there were twelve of us using the same mirror today and I must have combed some other guy's hair.

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Student: "What is the date, please?"

Professor: "Never mind the date. The examination is more important."

Student: "Well, sir, I wanted to have something right on my paper."



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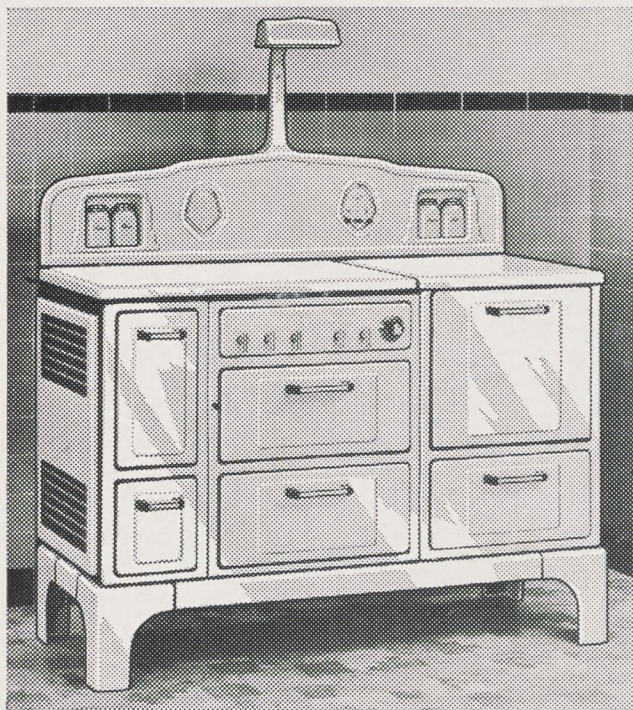
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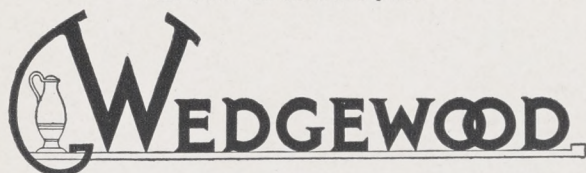
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also a great Base ball. Base ball,  
Track + Football. 4 letter Man.  
I have been kidding you with ? - ? - ?  
+ making sure but forget it.

Harry

Dear 'Braz'  
Lots of luck.  
You're great  
athlete so make  
the best of it.  
Love Just

Dear Phil.  
Don't forget Ziegler?  
Remembering  
(11/3/11)



Dad Woodward

-39-

Eddie Silva  
'40

Wish you football star  
when your team  
is behind don't get  
angry for your team  
is to come.

Elmo Rizo

Chas. George

Wish you the  
Best of luck  
Joe Matteo  
'39"

Almond "39"

If in heaven we don't meet  
I hope you enjoy the heat

Cyril Flores  
'39"

Robert Perry  
'40"

Wishing you all the Luck  
in the world in your future  
years.  
Manuel Silva  
'40"

Walter



Lots of success  
Lma Berger

Edna Seal  
"40"

lots of luck in  
your future life  
and lots of luck  
in your football  
career. You're  
sure going to be  
the star of the  
team. Frank  
38

Norma King  
"40"  
Best of luck  
Gloyd River  
Juni 39"

Caroline Silver  
"40"

Best wishes

Doremus  
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Marion  
"38"  
M. K. S.  
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Geo Bondi '40'

May you always  
be successful  
M. V. Bristow

Dear Philip -

all good luck

for your Sophomore  
year and always.  
I hope you will be  
in Sunday had one  
hour. E. M. W.

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Best of luck  
George, '38  
Brazil

Best  
George '38  
Dear Brazil, the best  
I wish you the luck &  
of luck on the year  
football field next year  
N. Rocha  
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Marijaua Yumbato  
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Best Wishes.  
In the coming year  
forraind Freitas  
Best of luck in your future.  
Fringy  
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Good Luck  
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Linda J. Hellwig

Dear Brazil,  
 Hope you  
 will have better  
 luck in your  
 athletic field.  
 Wishing you all the  
 luck in the world.  
 Sincerely,  
 Mitsuo Williams

"Future Success"  
"Phelps"  
Mildred Andrad  
"40"

Dear Philip  
I remember our  
England & home,  
"Maids & aunts"  
"40",

*Philippine*  
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*Indragira*  
in Agaves and  
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